

Final BULLETINS

Fighters, Bombers Raid St. Nazaire

LONDON (CP)—United States bombers supported by R.A.F. fighters attacked the Nazi U-boat base at St. Nazaire, France, this afternoon, it was stated authoritatively tonight.

Reuters news agency recorded a Berlin broadcast reporting that 30 four-motored R.A.F. bombers attacked a town on the west coast of France today and claiming five of the planes were shot down into the sea.

Franco Makes Over His Falange

MADRID (AP)—Gen. Francisco Franco today dissolved the Falange Council, national governing body of the only legal party in Spain, and named 95 members to a new one.

More Dutch Slain

LONDON (CP)—The German radio said today that 15 more Netherlands have been executed, at Arnhem, for sabotage against Nazi occupation forces.

U.S. Advancing On Guadalcanal

WASHINGTON (AP)—United States ground forces are advancing slowly to the west despite stubborn enemy resistance on Guadalcanal, the navy reported this afternoon.

No details of the extent of the advance were given. However, the marines were reported well beyond five miles west of Henderson airfield.

Close Cranbrook Branch

CRANBROOK, B.C. (CP)—The Canadian Bank of Commerce announced today it would close its Cranbrook branch Dec. 1, turning over accounts and business to the Royal Bank of Canada in keeping with the consolidation policy being carried out by Canadian banks. Opened in 1898 the Bank of Commerce is Cranbrook's oldest branch.

Pétain Orders Troops In Africa to Resist

VICHY (From French Broadcasts, AP)—Marshal Pétain in a radio broadcast tonight told French soldiers, sailors and aviators in Africa to resist all attacks.

"If you are attacked, resist," the aged marshal said to French troops, some of whom are battling German and Italian forces in Tunisia and others at Dakar are following Admiral Jean Darlan into the Allied camp.

Candidates Named

MONTREAL (CP)—Maj.-Gen. L. R. LaFleche War Services Minister, will be opposed by Jean Drapeau, 26-year-old "draftsman" candidate, in the Outremont federal by-election Nov. 30. No other nominations were filed at the deadline this afternoon.

3 Nominated

WINNIPEG (CP)—Three candidates, Konnie Johansson, Liberal; Rev. Stanley H. Knowles, C.C.F.; and Cyril E. Rice, Labor-Progressive, were nominated this afternoon to contest the Winnipeg North Central federal by-election Nov. 30, when a member of Parliament will be elected to succeed the late J. S. Woodsworth, C.C.F. leader.

Knowles, 34 years old, is secretary and organizer in Manitoba for the C.C.F.

Flynn Trial Jan. 11

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Screen Actor E. Flynn, somberly dignified in manner and attire, appeared in court today and pleaded not guilty to charges of statutory rape, two 17-year-old girls being the complainants. Superior Judge Edward B. Brand set trial for Jan. 11.

Veteran Newswriter Dies

OTTAWA (CP)—J. A. Fortier, veteran correspondent in the Parliamentary press gallery for the Montreal La Presse, died suddenly today, on the job at the gallery.

In his late 60's, Mr. Fortier was one of the oldest members of the press gallery in years of service, having first taken over a desk at the turn of the century.

Russians Sweep Nazis Backward 45 Miles

Prisoners Taken In Tunisia Drive



With the British Eighth Army already in contact with his few remaining troops and a great American-British force advancing into Tunisia, Marshal Rommel is further threatened by the approach of a Fighting French motorized army northward from Lake Chad. As the trap closes, the only apparent escape route for his tattered Afrika Korps is the Mediterranean, over which Allied planes range in increasing numbers. All of which really puts Rommel between the devil and the deep blue sea.

By E. C. DANIEL
LONDON (AP)—The British 1st Army, with American and French support, was reported today to have launched a big attack against the German-Italian positions in the defence perimeter of Bizerte and Tunis where Marshal Rommel, one-time German master of African desert warfare, was said to be in command with perhaps a part of his Afrika Korps.

The radio in Allied-held Morocco said prisoners had been brought in as a result of the British attack, which the Allies had been preparing for a week, and Berlin broadcasts hinted that Rommel had transferred his headquarters and perhaps some of his Libyan forces to Tunisia.

Previously, the British and U.S. forces which had streamed across north Africa for hundreds of miles in a race to get control of Tunisia's middle Mediterranean bases were reported to have tested the defences in the northern tip of the French protectorate, and Morocco radio quoted an Allied spokesman as saying their attacks were growing in violence.

Clash Takes Place 22 Miles From Coast

The broadcast said one clash occurred 22 miles south of the coast and the engagement "remained indecisive."

Allied spokesmen were quoted as saying the Germans and Italians were well established, with a strong air force, at Bizerte and Tunis and it was apparent the Axis was going to make a fight to retain its dominance of the Sicilian straits.

"Allied forces have launched an attack against enemy armored forces entrenched around the towns of Tunis and Bizerte," said the Morocco radio announcement.

"The main Allied forces are being actively brought up to the front to attack the whole of the Axis-occupied positions. The first prisoners have been brought back to the rear."

French reports told of attempted Axis infiltrations in south Tunisia and other reports from Allied headquarters in north Africa said similar tactics were being attempted from the north, where the main Axis forces have been landed by sea and air.

These suggested that Rommel was attempting a flank attack from Tripolitania against the British and American forces converging on the northern tip of Tunisia.

If Rommel has split his forces, it was presumed here that he had dispatched some armored units from Tripoli, either overland or by sea, to Gabes or Sfax on the east Tunisian coast.

Both lie south and southeast of the routes of the main Allied forces driving eastward from Algeria, but pro-Alled French forces have been reported in control along most of the coast and, according to French north Africa

60,000 'Tourists' Rushed to Italy To Boost Morale

LONDON (AP)—A series of roundabout and unconfirmed reports from the continent and the Near East said today that Hitler has sent 60,000 "tourists" and squads of Gestapo agents into Italy to prop up sagging Fascist morale and to build coastal fortifications against possible Allied invasion.

Tass, the Russian news agency, and diplomatic sources in Ankara were the sources of these reports, while Reuters News Agency distributed another dispatch from the Turkish capital quoting recent arrivals from Italy as saying a movement for a separate peace had been started under leadership of Marshal Pietro Badoglio, Mussolini's "unofficial opponent."

The tourists were alleged to have been filtering into Italy for the last three months, while Tass said the Gestapo men had been rushed in following Allied successes in north Africa.

According to the Reuters account, an anti-Fascist group headed by Badoglio, the conqueror of Ethiopia, approached the Vatican to "mediate, with the full knowledge of King Vittorio Emanuele, Crown Prince Umberto and Count Galeazzo Ciano, the Duce's son-in-law and Foreign Minister. Reuters went on to say that "Mussolini quarreled violently with Ciano."

DUCE LEFT OUT

Dispatches from Bern, Switzerland, last April 28 said there had been Rome consultations by the King in which Mussolini and Ciano were left out. At that time it was said a government shake-up and a "change of policy" might be forthcoming. Badoglio's name was mentioned in those reports.

Added to today's list of unconfirmed reports was one by Tass under a Geneva date, line and broadcast by the Moscow radio, quoting "a well-informed source," saying Heinrich Himmler, head of Nazi police forces, was speeding up organization of Blackshirt SS units to put down revolt in conquered countries.

Local militarized organizations, such as the Hlinka Guards in Slovakia, will be merged into SS troops units, Tass said, and these would be placed at the disposal of a so-called "European police centre."

TO OTHER COUNTRIES

"According to reports available," the news agency continued, "these units will be stationed not in countries where they are being formed, but in other countries." This Tass said, would be done to prevent "personal connections between SS troops and the population, thereby strengthening the fighting quality of the SS troops during mass internal outbreaks."

Tass asserted the biggest fortifications being erected in Italy were on the Adriatic.

Investigate Hospital Poisonings



Gov. Charles A. Sprague, left, of Oregon, and Dr. J. C. Evans, superintendent of the Oregon State Mental Hospital, are shown in the hospital refrigerator looking at a can which contained egg yolks which mixed with roach powder poisoned approximately 400 inmates of the Salem Asylum and killed 47.

Action in Africa



Even in the fiercest fighting, there's time for aid to the wounded. In this case, two members of an armored division of the A.E.F. in Africa administer first aid to a French native soldier during a phase of landing operations. Photo radioed from London.

Admiral Darlan Controls Whole Of French Africa

LONDON (AP)—Admiral Jean Darlan, the former Vichy defence chief who went over to the Allies three days after the Anglo-American expedition landed in north Africa, announced on the Algiers radio tonight that Dakar and all French West Africa were now under his command.

French West Africa had placed itself "freely under my orders," he said.

The Allies thus appeared to have scored a bloodless victory which not only removed the most dangerous potential Axis threat to the Western Hemisphere but also put at the disposal of the Allies vast resources, large native manpower and an extensive strategic area connecting north Africa with Fighting French territory in the heart of the continent.

The Algiers broadcast followed by a few hours a broadcast from Dakar, which was heard by the CBC at Ottawa, announcing that the French governor-general there had put the military command of his post under Darlan. This appeared to confirm the statement made by the former Vichy defence chief.

Dakar is the most important French naval base on the West African coast and recently was reported by Fighting French forces to be defended by 50,000 or 60,000 men, as well as considerable numbers of tanks and planes and a naval flotilla which includes the 35,000-ton battleship Richelieu.

Unlimited Talk

WASHINGTON (AP)—The United States Senate refused today to limit debate on an anti-poll tax bill, thereby paving the way for shelving the legislation for this session of Congress.

No Jobs for Men If Call-up Evaded

OTTAWA (CP)—Men seeking employment through National Selective Service will have to produce proof they have complied with compulsory military training, Labor Minister Mitchell announced today.

This, he said in a statement, will be one of the results of co-ordination of the war services department with National Selective Service.

Mr. Mitchell announced the transfer of the mobilization branch to National Selective Service will take place Dec. 1, as previously planned, and thereafter will be co-ordinated with other Selective Service work under supervision of Arthur MacNamara, associate deputy minister of labor.

"This (requiring men to produce evidence of compliance with call-up regulations) will be an effective method of discovering men who are delinquent in this respect," said Mr. Mitchell.

"It is also the intention to ask employers to check over their payrolls and satisfy themselves that employees have complied with these regulations. Procedures will be worked out in detail at once by Maj.-Gen. H. J. Riley and Maj.-Gen. T. L. Tremblay in co-operation with officials of the employment service."

U.S. Signs Pact With Martinique

WASHINGTON (AP)—Secretary of State Hull said today that a satisfactory agreement covering all French possessions in the western hemisphere had been reached with Admiral Robert, French High Commissioner on Martinique.

As a result of agreement, Hull said, there was not likely to be any necessity for American occupation of the French Caribbean possessions.

The Secretary made it clear the agreement was reached with Admiral Robert as the ultimate French authority in the Caribbean, entirely independent of the Vichy government in France.

The agreement did not imply, Hull replied to reporters' questions, that the French possessions were signing any declaration of membership in the United Nations. He had been asked about London reports that the French West Indies and French Guiana had joined the United Nations. He said the negotiations leading to the agreement applied only to the Caribbean situation.

He said the agreement included French Guiana.

In effect, he said, it was a re-statement of the agreement originally made in 1940 with Admiral Robert, with important additions and modifications.

Inquest Follows Fire

DOMINION, Man. (CP)—Dr. I. O. Fryer, deputy provincial coroner, today ordered an inquest into the deaths of Mrs. Albert M. Johnson, 36, and her seven-week-old son, Charles, whose charred bodies were found after a straw stack fire here.

13,000 Prisoners 15,000 Dead, Toll

By HENRY C. CASSIDY
MOSCOW (AP)—A mighty Red Army counteroffensive sprung from the northwest and south of Stalingrad has put thousands of Germans to rout, the Russians reported today, and the Nazi forces which have besieged the Volga city vainly for three bloody months were pictured as facing disastrous encirclement.

Broken German divisions were declared fleeing across the frosty steppes before the surge of Russian infantrymen, guns and tanks in the greatest Soviet offensive of the year, adding new casualties to the 28,000 Nazis reported killed and captured in the past few days.

Here is the story of the drive, as given in official Soviet announcements and in warfront dispatches:

Already some 15,000 Germans have been killed and more than 13,000 captured since the Russians sprang their drive. The German besiegers of Stalingrad have been placed in a perilous position, and the German forces in the Caucasus are being held to a standstill as the bitter Russian winter sets in.

The Stalingrad offensive stretched two arms around the Germans still holding positions in Stalingrad and placed the Russians astride two important railway lines used by the Germans to supply these forces.

Janks and Infantry Pile Through Gap

The offensive began, dispatches said, with a one-hour artillery barrage so intense that when the firing ceased only isolated enemy guns replied. Red army infantry and tanks then piled through the German front line, driving the enemy from trenches into the open steppes.

The German front line was overwhelmed by the ferocity of the Russian offensive, dispatches said. Prisoners started to pour in and guns and mortars piled up as the Red Army carried the advance as far as 45 miles at some points.

"During the night of Nov. 22-23 our troops in the Stalingrad area continued to carry out successful operations and continued to move forward," the midday Russian communique said.

In a special communique issued Sunday night the Russians announced that a Red army force sweeping forward from northwest of Stalingrad had reached and occupied Kalach, 50 miles west of Stalingrad, while another column striking westward south of the city had occupied the railroad town of Abganerovo.

Kill 1,600 Nazis Within Stalingrad

In aggressive motion on a wide stretch of the long front Russian troops were credited today with killing some 1,600 enemy soldiers within Stalingrad and on the Nalchik, Leningrad and northwestern fronts.

The main Russian attack was being delivered where the Russians have suffered most this year, on the plains outside Stalingrad.

"The avenging hour has struck at Stalingrad," the Moscow radio said today, quoting exultantly from Pravda.

"This latest defeat of the German army shows that the Red Army has the strength not only to thwart the enemy's plans but to destroy him completely."

Kalach, in peace time, was a city of 45,000 inhabitants on the eastern bank of the Don.

The two Soviet forces, astride the only two railway lines available to the Nazis for supplying the siege troops at Stalingrad, were less than 50 miles apart at their most advanced positions. If they joined forces a large number of German troops would be cut off.

Nazis Call Them Defensive Battles

BERLIN (From German Broadcasts, AP)—The German high command today said German and Rumanian forces are fighting "heavy defensive battles" south of Stalingrad and in the great loop of the Don west of the city. "German and Rumanian troops

are collaborating with strong forces of close-range aircraft in order to ward off the Soviets," the war bulletin said.

The Berlin radio meanwhile broadcast a statement that German military quarters "abstained from commenting so far on Soviet reports about the situation of military operations in this sector."

"German quarters," the radio added, "thus maintained their usual reticence and refrained from discussion of pending military events. It was merely stated that the Soviets launched a strong offensive on both sides of Stalingrad."

(The German "reticence" appeared to be left-handed Nazi confirmation of Russian reports that disaster faced the Axis forces at Stalingrad. In the past such Russian claims usually have been met by quick denials from Berlin.)

No Christmas Leave For Coastal Troops

There will be no regular Christmas leave for troops in the Pacific Command, it was announced by National Defence Headquarters today.

Other troops in Canada not engaged in operational tasks will have their choice of five days' leave to embrace either Christmas or New Year; Christmas leave may start Dec. 21 or 22, ending Dec. 26 or 27 and New Year's leave, Dec. 28 or 29, ending Jan. 2 or 3.

This will not apply to either coastal command where leave will be granted only at the discretion of the G.O.C.

Smashing Blow At New Guinea Japs

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Australia (CP)—Australian and U.S. airmen went into battle against the Japanese forces making a desperate stand on the beaches of the Buna area in northeastern New Guinea Sunday and when the smoke cleared they had sunk one destroyer, destroyed 19 enemy planes and smashed two small landing boats, in addition to giving Japanese ground troops a day-long strafing.

The Japanese were fighting back bitterly from their precarious positions on the coastal strip between Buna and Gona with every weapon at their command, but the Allied nose was slowly drawing tight.

The destroyer, sunk by bombers, apparently was trying to land troops at Buna to aid the besieged Japanese forces there and reports mentioned the possibility that troops may actually have been landed before the sinking.

Moving in after the Allied fliers had subjected Japanese ground positions to a terrific pounding, Allied troops captured a new landing strip at Buna from the enemy.

Other Allied forces were reported attacking the Buna mission, one mile from Buna, and the main landing field on the outskirts of the village.

Girls Say Wages Less Than Promised

OTTAWA (CP)—The Labor Department said today that investigation still is proceeding into wages; working conditions and "general circumstances" of girls brought from western Canada to work in Ontario rubber factories, but that information so far obtained indicates the girls are being "paid prevailing wages and fairly treated" by the companies involved.

A departmental spokesman said today's statement was an "interim report" and that further information would be given out as the investigation progressed.

The statement left unanswered the question asked by Mayor Joseph Melnzinger of Kitchener, Ont., in a telegram to Labor Minister Mitchell: Why had the Selective Service Commission allegedly promised girls from western Canada more money to work in Kitchener rubber plants than local girls were receiving?

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Odlum Suggests Canadians Be Sent To Aid MacArthur

TORONTO (CP)—Maj. Gen. Victor W. Odlum suggested today that Canada send troops to the southwest Pacific theatre of war to assist Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

In an address to the Canadian

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Afternoon party for Gordon Head Red Cross will be held at "Orchard House," beautiful home of Mrs. A. V. Bartholomew on Gordon Head Road, Wednesday, Nov. 25, from 3 p.m. Bus passing the house leaves town 2.30. Christmas gift sale and other attractions.

All-Breed Championship Dog Show, Wednesday next, Crystal Garden, Information, G 4788.

A sale of blindcraft Nov. 24, 25, 26, 27, David Spencer's, Government Street, held by Canadian National Institute for Blind. Proceeds used to give occupation for coming year.

Attention! Moose Dance at K. of P. Hall tonight at 9. Cards 8.30. Stewart's Orchestra. Everybody welcome. 35c.

A wise suggestion! Restoring and repairing done now—before the Christmas rush—will be done in time. Bring yours in at once. Persian Arts and Crafts, 610 Fort, E 2124.

Connaght Seamen's Institute 28th anniversary Tea and Entertainment, Wednesday, at 3 o'clock.

Royal Oak Boy Scouts annual 500 card party, Women's Institute Hall Wednesday, Nov. 25, 8 p.m. Chicken prizes, tombolas.

Sam Browne Belts, expertly fitted, \$7.50. McMartin's Leather Goods, 716 Yates. G 6613.

Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Tuesday, November 24, at 2.45 p.m. Speaker, Dr. G. F. Amyot; subject, "Health and War." Solist, Dr. Margaret Hutcheon.

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Club of Toronto, the newly appointed Canadian minister to China said:

"The best defence for this country is not a group of divisions sitting passively in Canada, but some additional force—even as little as one division—sent to Gen. MacArthur so that, on the Japanese tender southern flank, he may pass from the defensive to a vigorous local offensive."

Gen. Odlum, former Canadian High Commissioner to Australia, and former officer commanding the 2nd Division of the Canadian Army overseas, warned that one weakness of the United Nations was "the spirit of criticism and complaint that I found everywhere—except in Britain."

SHARP WORDS AT TORONTO
"In Canada 'I find that the bitterest things come from Toronto,'" he said, and asked: "Can Toronto the cruel become Toronto the kind?"

The turning point of the war has not yet come, he said, emphasizing that "I believe in looking the worst squarely in the face."

Gen. Sir Bernard Montgomery's victories in Egypt and Libya have demonstrated that the "British army has at last mastered the technique of mobile warfare," but his successes came from the United States troops in North Africa "are only the opening moves in a big game that is yet to be played."

Not 2 per cent of the German army was engaged in Libya, Gen. Odlum asserted, adding that "only when the United Nations' field forces, in terms of divisions trained and equipped for battle, are strong enough to begin their drive into Germany, will the turn of the war have come."



It's a Christmas Comic Strip for Children!

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No New Styles For Women

Evening Dresses Out, No Lining for Garments

OTTAWA (CP)—Milady will have to forego that new evening dress and she probably won't have a new Easter bonnet next year under orders made public today by the Prices Board stipulating that no new styles will be manufactured for the duration.

Styles in general have been frozen as of the present fall and winter season, or the spring and summer season of 1943—which means right now, said a board announcement.

Two new orders covering the manufacture of women's misses' and children's wear are designed to conserve cloth, economize in production, eliminate waste of unnecessary services and release manpower and womanpower for the armed forces and war production.

In line with the board's policy of eliminating or curtailing non-essentials, J. A. Klein, administrator of women's, misses' and children's wear, ordered that manufacture of evening and dinner dresses and evening wraps and capes be halted. Other luxury garments which will be discontinued include negligees and hostess gowns, culottes, skating skirts, play suits, riding breeches, golf jackets and bush coats.

SLACKS AND WINDBREAKERS

The board, however, announced that separate skirts, slacks, bathing suits, windbreakers, housecoats and elderdown robes will provide ample and suitable wearing apparel for recreation and leisure.

The new orders, with one exception, are effective as from Nov. 17. The exception is that no new blocks for women's and children's hats may be made after Jan. 15 next.

Mr. Klein said that eliminations and restrictions imposed last March have already resulted in the saving of many thousands of yards of materials which have been put to useful war purposes. "We must keep in mind," he said, "that we are fighting for our very liberty, and asking Canadian women to deprive themselves of a garment which is only used occasionally is certainly not asking for any great sacrifice."

The new order assures a straight silhouette, devoid of skimpy effects, and flattering to the figure, said the board's statement. Adequate pro-

vision is made for simple trimmings such as tucking and shirring, and a sufficient color range.

No garments other than women's or children's hats may be fashioned in more than four shades. And no chapeau may be made in more than six shades, if of straw, or in more than 10 if of felt and fabric. Fur trimmings on women's and misses' hats are out entirely.

The style range which was reduced for the fall season of this year by one-third, now has been cut to one-half.

The second of the two orders issued by the administrator, with the concurrence of the administrator of retail trade, provides that the number of samples shown by any manufacturer for any season "shall not exceed 50 per cent of the number of samples per season in 1941, and no manufacturer customarily selling by sample shall sell any garments in any style for which he has not shown samples."

PROVISION FOR BRIDES

While evening and dinner dresses are eliminated from manufacture, long gowns for brides only may continue to sweep gracefully toward the altar. Provision is made for bridal gowns to have a sweep not to exceed 144 inches, and a length not greater than 59 inches for size 16.

Just as evening dresses will not be manufactured for grown-ups, party dresses are out for small girls.

One of the new orders specifies that no cloth of wool may be used to line any garment.

Certain new restrictions apply to "nurses," maids, waitresses and beauticians' uniforms. Eliminated from these are flaps on pockets, double-breasted styles, French cuffs on sleeves and double bodice or double sleeves.

HOME DRESSMAKERS COVERED

"These orders apply to home dressmakers as well as manufacturers, and any dressmaker not having a copy should apply to the Wartime Prices and Trade Board," an official stressed.

Labor, Fuel, Japs Worry the Folks At Salmon Arm

SALMON ARM (Staff Special)

The people of the huge fruit-farming area of which the city of Salmon Arm forms the centre are like a good many others in these days—they are not enthusiastic about attending meetings.

At any rate, the by-election campaign over the seat held by the late Hon. Rolf Bruhn for 18 years has been notable for its lack of publicity-expressed enthusiasm, particularly in the outlying districts. Both the Coalition candidate, Mayor Cyril Thomson, and the C.C.F. candidate, George F. Stirling, have found it difficult to get attendance of any size outside the city itself.

In the city, both parties have held good meetings, over 150 attending that addressed by Premier Hart and Attorney-General R. L. Maitland, and about an equal number attended the rally held by the C.C.F. when Grant MacNeill, M.L.A., and Len Shepherd, M.L.A., were the principal speakers.

ATTRACTED FROM FARMS

But this apparent lack of interest in the outside communities is only superficial. Farmers and their wives are too busy in these days of war to attend meetings, but talk to them and you find that they are keenly interested in politics, particularly that phase of politics which concerns the agricultural situation.

They are only too ready to talk about the problem of "how to keep labor down on the farm, after they've seen war jobs," to paraphrase the old song.

With over 400 boys enlisted in the overseas forces from this district, many farms have been denuded of their younger men, and the old ones are carrying on as best they can, assisted by their womenfolk, who are meeting the challenge superbly.

JAPS AND FUEL

In some instances, farmers have availed themselves of the services of the Japanese who have come in here since the evacuation from the coast. But others are just as strongly opposed to the presence of the Japanese here, and resent their intrusion, as one woman expressed it. She felt bitterly that

something was wrong with a system which allowed wealthy Japanese to come in here and settle in houses which are needed by soldiers' families.

The fuel shortage is a problem in this district, too, one which transcends in interest even that of the election. With snow already blanketing the surrounding hills and the wind having a nip in it which suggests zero just around the corner, how to keep the stove going is a problem. Coal is scarce because of the long haul necessary to get it here from the mines, and the dearth of cars to bring it. The recent decision of the Wartime Control Board to conserve tires and gasoline by restricting truck deliveries of any commodities to 35 miles leaves a hiatus of about four miles between Salmon Arm and Kamloops in which the unfortunate settlers will not be able to get supplies in or their produce out and will prevent their getting coal.

WOOD, BUT NONE TO CUT IT

It is another case of "water, water everywhere and not a drop to drink" for these valleys and hills are covered with timber. But timber has to be cut and hauled, and with the best intention in the world a woman or an elderly man cannot fell and chop and haul sufficient wood to keep the insatiable maw of a stove going in the interior winter. And labor is either unobtainable or else prohibitive.

So with scarce wood, scarce labor, and scarce fuel, the situation is not to be wondered at if opinion is divided in Salmon Arm as to the outcome of the election. Talk to a coalitionist and he or she is sure that the voters will not forget the memory of the only man who has ever held this constituency since the seat was established—Rolf Bruhn—and will return Mayor Thomson, a lifelong Conservative. Talk to a C.C.F. and he or she is equally sure that George F. Stirling will be the next member. And only time will tell who is right.

Want Mild Weather

VANCOUVER (CP)—A few days of cold weather could practically wipe out existing coal supplies in Vancouver, says C. A. Munroe, city fuel inspector, said today.

"The situation looks tough," he said. "The coal is not coming out of the mines and there's not a thing in city coal dealers' bins."

Today's WAR NEWS Analysis

By DE WITT MACKENZIE

Associated Press War Analyst
CAIRO (AP)—Splendid pioneering developments are being hewed out of the jungles and desert of Equatorial Africa in connection with the all-out war effort and a striking example of this is a great airport at which I spent some days en route to Egypt.

This port must be nameless, although the existence of the enterprise is no longer a secret from friend and foe, for it has become too important to hide under a bushel.

Newspaper articles have been written about it and you hear it mentioned freely in New York, London, Rio de Janeiro and even in Lisbon, where Axis agents rub shoulders with Allied nations.

I arrived by magic carpet in this strange land on a certain sweltering hot day. It soon became apparent that this was on a spot which, as things stand, may be one of the world's chief airports after the war.

AERIAL SHORTCUT

It provides unique facilities at a point that affords a gateway for an aerial shortcut from the Atlantic clear through to the Orient.

Less than a year ago this was just another fever spot in the swampy jungles of steaming Africa. Today it is a healthful little community which is so modern it has electric lights and refrigeration. Eight villages in the neighboring bush have been hitched to the tail of this comet of civilization.

The port has the appearance at first blush of being a huge lake which nature pookishly set down beside the mother Atlantic. Actually it isn't a lake at all, but a huge bay which is almost surrounded by land. It is 15 miles long and three miles wide, and is so sheltered that it would accom-

modate a well nigh limitless armada of flying boats. Behind it are facilities for land planes. Thus you have a perfect base for war or commerce.

This development is a Pan-American Airways project and must form a proud chapter in the history of the company's pioneering.

A sturdy little army of Pan-American workers has faced tropical diseases and fierce discomforts to create this strategic port with the help of 700 natives recruited from the surrounding villages.

MORASSES DRAINED

Some 20 acres of land have been wrested from the dense jungle, which continually reaches out to reclaim its own. Neighboring morasses have been drained and on the high ground overlooking the port have been erected many comfortable and well-equipped buildings, including administration headquarters, a recreation centre, a dining hall, a laundry and fine barracks, complete with fans, baths and electric lights.

You have to see this region to understand what a tough job has been done. The daytime heat is terrific, although the nights aren't bad, and the humidity is so great that your clothing is never dry.

The port has 229 inches of rainfall a year, and that's rain.

As it falls on the hot earth, white clouds of steam rise from the green purgatory of the surrounding jungle.

Beneath the vivid green of the palms and other trees are endless stretches of morass. It's death for man or beast to fall into one of these bottomless bogs.

These primeval swamps near the settlement must be drained, for they harbor malaria and yellow fever mosquitoes—the great scourges of Africa.

Engine Plants Bombed

Hundreds of Planes Blast at Stuttgart

LONDON (CP)—The German industrial and communications centre of Stuttgart was attacked Sunday night by a strong force of British bombers, and the air ministry said low-level observation showed the results were good.

"Ten of our bombers are missing," the ministry said. "Canadians participated in the Stuttgart raid."

CALLER GORGEOUS

The bombers were reported by Sgt. Robert Donald of Calgary to have "started gorgeous fires." "The town was just crisscrossed with incendiaries," said the young noncommissioned officer, who files with a Lancaster squadron of the R.A.F.

Fighter command aircraft attacked freight trains in northern France and fired an Axis supply ship in the English Channel, further blows against Hitler's crippled transport system.

The Berlin radio quoted a DNB dispatch which said incendiary bombs had caused slight damage in one town of southern Germany, but did not identify the target.

The capital of the Wuertemberg province, Stuttgart is approximately 400 miles southeast of Dover. A centre of aviation and electrical industries, it was attacked three nights in succession by the R.A.F. last May.

ENGINE WORKS

Submarine and aircraft engine plants are located at Stuttgart. It contains the headquarters of such concerns as Bosch, makers of ignition parts; Daimler-Benz, which manufactures plane and truck motors; and Hirth, which makes precision equipment.

The city is also an important railway junction. The raid Sunday night was the first of the war. The British description of R.A.F. bomber squadrons as "a strong force" generally means a formation of hundreds of the four-motored explosives carriers had been used.

It was the first R.A.F. raid on Germany since the night of Nov. 9, when Hamburg and other places in northwestern reaches of the Reich were attacked.

Until Sunday night, the Nov. 9 raid had been the only one this month by night against Germany—but Italy has been attacked six nights.

FOLLOW FIGHTER RAID

The attack on Stuttgart followed an earlier fighter foray by an R.C.A.F. Spitfire squadron against targets in the Netherlands.

At least two Canadians were on special reconnaissance duties during the Stuttgart attack, one of them being Sgt. Donald and the other H. K. Stinson of Toronto, captain of a bomber which remained over the city during most of the operation.

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British Chase Axis Westward From Agedabia

CAIRO (AP)—The British 8th Army engaging the remnants of Field Marshal Rommel's retreating forces in the Agedabia region forced them to withdraw Sunday, headquarters announced today.

Axis troops disposed south of the village were forced to withdraw, presumably toward El Aghella.

Again the Allied air forces operating over the desert were confined to fighter patrols due to weather conditions.

Medium bombers, however, raided the airfield at Bizerte, Tunisia, scoring hits on hangars and other buildings and starting two fires, the communiqué said.

These bombers apparently were based at Malta.

RAKE SICILY

Twin-engine British fighter planes also attacked the Trapani airfield in Sicily the same night, bombing the field and its installations and strafing a large number of Axis aircraft on the ground.

Fighter-bombers returned to Sicily Sunday and attacked two other Sicilian airfields "with good effect," the communiqué said.

At least six enemy transport planes were shot down into the sea between Sicily and the north African coast as long-range British fighters kept up a constant attack on this transport route.

One British plane was reported missing from these operations.

Plan New Limits On Use of Paper

NEW YORK (AP)—Further plans to curtail production and use of printing papers, including newspaper, are maturing in Washington and Ottawa, and usually well-informed paper men say specific measures may be proposed early in December.

Provision for adequate supply of paper on which the words of free men may be printed is widely recognized as one of the grave responsibilities of war management in North America—the last continent in which enough paper is still available to provide complete newspapers.

It is expected a meeting will soon be called by the War Production Board's printing and publishing branch of the members of its newly-created newspaper advisory committee to receive latest government proposals. When the committee first met, Oct. 27, Donald Nelson, W.P.B. chief, said certain curtailments "seem absolutely necessary."

Thugs Tie Up Watchman

VANCOUVER (CP)—After binding the watchman hand and foot in his basement bedroom, three masked men Sunday night made an unsuccessful attempt to break into the safe of the Pacific Athletic Club.

Presents Donated

SEATTLE (AP)—It all started a couple of weeks ago, when a couple living near Seattle mailed \$5 to the Seattle Times and asked that the money be used to buy Christmas gifts for some lonely soldier in Alaska.

A brief account of how a girl reporter spent the \$5 and sent the gaily wrapped gifts to a chaplain in Alaska to be given to some soldier who otherwise would have no Christmas remembrances from "home," has resulted to date in unsolicited donations, mostly anonymous, of about \$200, and a daily shopping trip for the girl reporter.

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Settlers From Britain

HAMILTON, Bermuda (CP)—Canada should have a large number of settlers from Britain after the war, Viscount Bennett, former Canadian prime minister, said in an interview here.

Viscount Bennett said there must be a very considerable movement of people from Britain immediately after the war, both for economic and other reasons. So far as he could learn on his recent Canadian visit, he said, Canadians shared that view and were "most anxious that their population should be increased by settlers from Britain."

LONDON (CP)—Paris radio said that more than 100,000 trees in the Bois de Boulogne, Parisian resort, have been cut down to make an emergency fuel reserve for bakers.

Mitchell Asks
Employers Release
Coal Miners

OTTAWA (CP)—Labor Minister Mitchell has appealed to employers in western Canada to grant leave of absence from their jobs to any former coal miners to help relieve the coal shortage.

Departmental announcement said the coal shortage constituted a "national emergency." Growth of war industries and army and air force camps had increased demand for coal tremendously. Mines previously operated on a seasonal basis now were forced to work 12 months a year.

The announcement said Mr. Mitchell, in collaboration with the four western provincial governments, the mine operators and the representatives of the miners, is appealing to the mayors of western Canada and to all employers situated between the head of the Great Lakes and Vancouver to canvass their employees to see if there are any skilled coal miners among them.

RIGHT OF WAY

Mayors and employers are asked to grant leave of absence from their jobs, with protection of their seniority and pension

rights, to ex-coal miners. The government will pay transportation costs to the job and return fare after 30 days' work, to skilled men willing to return to the mines, the department said.

The statement continued: "Wages will be those negotiated by employees' organizations and approved by the National War Labor Board for the various coal fields. Volunteers are asked to contact the nearest employment and Selective Service office."

CO-OPERATION ASKED

"Ex-miners are urgently requested to co-operate by accepting this work, in order to increase production and to prevent civilian hardships, a retardment of the military training plan and general slow-down in the war effort."

Record Pea Soup Fog
Settled on London

LONDON (AP)—The worst pea soup fog in years—so thick that long-lid lamps were turned on with no danger of their lighting the way for air raiders—settled down on London on Nov. 11, correspondents are now permitted to report.

Pedestrians became lost only a few steps from their homes and homeward-bound workers were stranded in their trams and buses.

King George VI on a trip to the railway station by automobile, had to be guided by police walking ahead with flashlights.

Cripps in Charge
Of Plane Production;
Quits War Cabinet

LONDON (CP)—Sir Stafford Cripps, regarded as the No. 2 man in the British government, left the War Cabinet today to become minister of aircraft production at Prime Minister Churchill's behest.

For some time, British political observers said, there had been reports that Sir Stafford had failed to see eye to eye with his fellow cabinet members. They said also that in his position as leader of the House of Commons he had been unhappy and unpopular with some members.

Mr. Churchill, however, in asking that Sir Stafford take the ministry of aircraft production, said his proposal was "conceived solely to meet a most serious war need."

It was on questions of postwar social and economic reforms that Sir Stafford Cripps was reported to have disagreed with his colleagues in the War Cabinet.

Because of other shifts, the Labor representation in the War Cabinet was not reduced by his withdrawal, but The Times, which has consistently spoken in favor of Cripps since his return from a successful term as Ambassador to Soviet Russia, said:

"The withdrawal from the War Cabinet of a minister peculiarly identified in the public mind with these claims upon the future will increase, rather than relax, the public demand for decisions which are needed if a peace policy is to be ready for launching when the tide is at the full."

TAKE CHARGE CALMLY

On the whole, Britain was too busy with war offensives around the globe to argue politics, and took the changes calmly. Afternoon newspapers did not mention the cabinet shift on their main news pages, and devoted their editorials to the "Turning tide," "Stalingrad," the "Red Army" and other phases of United Nations' activities.

Mr. Churchill said that the "production of aircraft and the development of radio technique lie at the very heart of our affairs," and that Sir Stafford by becoming minister of aircraft production could "render a great service to the country and its cause."

In accepting the offer, Sir Stafford told the Prime Minister: "My services are of course entirely at the disposal of the country and you are the judge how best they can be utilized. . . It would, I feel, be inappropriate for me to remain a member of the War Cabinet in view of the relationship between the minister of production and the supply minister and I therefore readily

agree to relinquish my seat in the War Cabinet."

Herbert Morrison, a Labor man, known to many Britons as the "little fireball," succeeded Sir Stafford on the important war council and at the same time retained his post as home secretary and minister of home security. It was Morrison who gave Britain her "go to it" slogan and who in subsequent months survived much parliamentary hot water as minister of home security.

EVEN STEPS UP

Anthony Eden, foreign secretary, assumed Sir Stafford's post as leader of the House. Sir Stafford replaced J. J. Llewellyn in the ministry of aircraft production, Llewellyn becoming resident minister in charge of supply, representing the minister of production in Washington.

Viscount Cranborne, colonial secretary, was made lord privy seal, but not placed in the War Cabinet. Lord Cranborne was succeeded by Maj. Oliver Stanley.

Stanley, 46-year-old former war minister, had been long mooted for a return to the government. With the war at a turning point and military leaders demanding more and more planes, Sir Stafford is facing "immense tasks," political observers said.

Llewellyn, a tremendous worker, is regarded as well suited for the Washington task of co-ordinating the Anglo-American war economy. In the 10 months that he held the post of minister of aircraft production Llewellyn trebled the heavy bomber output.

Travelers Found
It Cold Work
Opening Alcan Road

By LORNE BRUCE

WHITEHORSE, Y.T. (CP)—A small expeditionary force was recuperating today after an arduous trek into the wilderness near the Yukon-Alaska boundary to open formally the United States army's pioneer road to Alaska.

The military supply road, running 1,600 miles from Dawson Creek, B.C., to Fairbanks, was officially opened Friday morning at a colorful ceremony at Klunene Lake attended by government officials of Canada and the United States, military leaders of both countries, soldiers who built the highway and civilian workers and a few press reporters and photographers.

WIND COLD

Stamping their feet to keep warm before a bitter wind sweeping the 3,000-foot Soldiers' Summit, 300 persons saw the red, white and blue ribbon cut a few minutes before the first supply trucks wheeled over the line toward Fairbanks.

Twenty yards away scarlet-coated Mounties faced five United States troopers in khaki on opposite sides of the ribbon on a promontory 500 feet above the surface of Klunene Lake.

It was planned originally that reporters would send news stories by airplane from Klunene Lake, 140 miles to Whitehorse, where they would be refilled to Canada and the United States. But the weather prevented flying and the stories had to be taken by automobile to Whitehorse, where they were passed by army censors before telegraphing. One wireless line was useless as a result of atmospheric conditions and the stories had to be divided between the other wireless system and the lone telegraph line. The stories were filed at Whitehorse 24 hours after the ceremony.

POLICE SHIVERED

Civilians were dressed in fur coats, parkas and mackpaws to witness the hour and half ceremony. The toughest task was performed by the Mounted Police, who stood for nearly an hour in the face of the bitter wind wearing scarlet jackets and shiny but cold dress boots. Before the ceremony ended the Mounties had donned buffalo skin coats.

Letters to Editor

Correspondents are reminded to use one side of the paper only, to write legibly, and to keep their communications within a reasonable length. A short letter, with a point convincingly emphasized, has a better chance of publication than one with a long, rambling, and unimportant

HISTORICAL SALVAGE

An article in the September, 1942, issue of the Canadian Historical Review has suggested the following insertion:

"That the commendable zeal for collecting salvage may result in the destruction of old letters, diaries and other valuable historical materials, was pointed out at the recent meeting of the Ontario Historical Society. The secretary of the society has sent a letter to a large number of local newspapers requesting them to make an appeal that owners of such should not destroy them before getting in touch with an historical society, a provincial archives, or a competent librarian."

Knowing of the generous response to the appeal for salvage in Victoria, and knowing of the wealth of historical data in Victoria homes, a similar request to the above should bring gratifying results to the Victoria section of the British Columbia Historical Association, which has headquarters in the provincial archives.

MRS. M. R. CREE,
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HUMANITY'S TASK

One hears much these days of a new postwar social order that is somehow to be brought into being. One fears, however, that what some of those in control of affairs visualize is very much like what we now have but controlled somewhat and offering a little more security to the common man.

In fact, it savors somewhat like "The Devil was sick; the Devil a monk would be," and offers no real solution to the ills of the present order or guarantee of future world peace, or real national and international co-operation.

It may be taken for granted that so long as finance is individually, internationally controlled (if one can so put it) just so long will the germs of strife exist. If ever we are to attain real civilization it can only come through real community of interest, in which all share equally in the benefits of equal effort and toll.

When one sees how quickly and efficiently governments (including our own) can organize the human power and commodities of a nation in times of war, one realizes it could be done, for a much more laudable purpose, in times of peace.

Many of us belittled the efforts of Soviet Russia to bring about a better social order in that vast country of conflicting nationalities. But what have we in the democracies done that could be considered so much better? Destruction of food while millions went short, and the cessation of necessary work while millions of able-bodied men were idle, can we claim any superiority?

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No man is of greater importance in the necessary work of the world, for we are all interdependent. The garbage man is as necessary to the welfare of the community as the scientist or the surgeon and is therefore of equal importance; the desire to enjoy the bounties of this wonderful world is as keen in the breast of one as the other as is the wish to give his children the best future possible. The laws of birth, hunger, procreation and death are absolutely impartial, and the rain falls on the just and unjust alike.

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These Incredible Russians!

WHEN THE SIEGE OF STALINGRAD was nearly two months old, with Marshal von Bock and his much-vaunted Wehrmacht exerting Herculean efforts to capture it for the Fuehrer, a BBC radio newsreel broadcaster exploded with this: "These incredible Russians!" That term was eminently fitting then in the absence of anything more descriptive, and in view of the major offensive which Marshal Timoshenko launched so successfully a few days ago, it will have to sum up our emotions now.

Not without ample cause did the Herr Doktor Goebbels tell the German people on Saturday that from now on all they can expect is "blood, tears, and sweat." Beside this gloomy prediction, of course, his cheap and sarcastic remark that "the English must have their fun" will have struck the "Hervolk" as more than incongruous. And what does the so-called master race think of Hitler's allusion to the "military idiots" of the United Nations? That was the term he used last September 30, when he assured his regimented dupes and the world at large that Stalingrad would be taken—"you can depend upon that."

Much has happened to the "invincible" German armies since the Fuehrer harangued his stalwarts in Berlin's Sportpalast nearly two months ago. While the utter defeat of Rommel in North Africa has been a terrible blow, militarily and psychologically, to the Axis cause, the significance and importance of the new counter-offensive which the Russians are pressing with the same vigor as they pressed their westward drive at the end of last November must have penetrated the understanding of the dullest Nazi slave.

South of Stalingrad and in the northwest a huge pincer movement seems to be developing, with the slaughter to date of thousands of the enemy and the capture of more than 13,000 prisoners and huge quantities of assorted war booty. Although it may be unwise to expect that the greater part of the German forces in these two areas will be trapped and either annihilated or taken alive, the progress Timoshenko's armies are making in this westward drive is a master stroke parallel to that which recaptured Rostov almost a year ago—and yesterday, by the way, was the anniversary of that city's fall to the then victorious Wehrmacht.

Whatever the immediate future may have in store for the Axis—in Russia, in North Africa, in the South Pacific, and in Burma—we of the United Nations have the right to look upon the encouraging developments of the last month as the turning point of this global conflict. All free and enslaved peoples everywhere have suffered much since Hitler sent his legions into Poland on that summer day of 1939. They are breathing much easier now. And the Fuehrer can be left to his own opinion of "these incredible Russians."

Cripps the Organizer

SOME OF THE COMMERCIAL RADIO announcers south of the border did not wait long to inform the American public that Mr. Churchill's ministerial reorganization is mainly significant for the demotion of Sir Stafford Cripps from the position of government leader in the House of Commons—and a member of the War Cabinet—to that of Minister of Aircraft Production, an office which carries no passport to the inner councils of the nation. Another suggestion is that the Prime Minister's move is a gesture toward the Right; it may be to, to a certain extent. But it should be noted that Mr. Herbert Morrison, one of Britain's aggressive Labor leaders, will now join the War Cabinet, while Mr. Anthony Eden—a Rightist, perhaps, but with definite views on the kind of peace that must be won if future wars are to be avoided—will combine the duties which Sir Stafford Cripps has relinquished with those of Foreign Secretary.

It is no secret, of course, that Sir Stafford was robbed of his individuality as soon as he became government leader. That he assumed the post of Lord Privy Seal fully cognizant of the character of its duties is obvious; he had nevertheless insisted that he also should become a member of the War Cabinet. He has now had that experience—possibly not the happiest one for a man of his profound and original mind. It is one thing to be known as a brilliant advocate at the bar, another altogether to be the advocate in general of a government to the political philosophy of some of whose members he is diametrically opposed. On the other hand, however, Sir Stafford enjoys the reputation for immense organizing ability. And the aircraft industry, as emphatically declared by the Prime Minister, is apparently in need of just such a talented directive force at this crucial moment. Production of new and better machines is increasing from month to month. But still higher objectives are to be aimed at. Sir Stafford, moreover, evidently believes that his rebelliously independent nature is well equipped to meet an urgency which his experience in the War Cabinet has enabled him to appreciate. Much more will be heard of him ere long.

'Navy Week'

NOT UNTIL THE HISTORY OF THIS war has been written shall we in Canada or the people in the other United Nations understand how much the cause of liberty has had to rely upon the fighting ships and the merchant marine. During the next few days, however, the observance of "Navy Week" will at least enable all of us to direct our thoughts to the "silent service" and to realize the magnificent contribution to victory which the men who go down to the sea in ships are making every hour of the day and night, in fair weather or foul, in the face of hardships and dangers of which the landlubber has little knowledge.

It is fitting, too, as we mark the significant and important of this week of unostentatious celebration, that we recognize the untiring labors of the Navy League of Canada during the last quarter of a century. This hardworking organization, numbering many men and women from the Pacific to the Atlantic who have given unstintingly of their time and talents, has made Canada conscious of her role as a maritime nation. Through the agency of the Sea Cadet Corps it has provided the Royal Canadian Navy and the Merchant Marine with thousands of willing volunteers, many of whom have risen to high rank in the Royal Navy as well as in our own continuously-expanding naval organization.

Recognizing as every Canadian does the fine work which stands to the credit of the Navy League of Canada, the vital part it has played in its particular sphere from the day of its inception, its incalculable service as an impressive factor in our own and the United Nations' war effort, it can be taken for granted that the annual appeal it is making during this "Navy Week" will be responded to by all our citizens in the most liberal manner.

Victoria Omitted Again

WHEN THE CANADIAN BROADCAST Corporation announced yesterday Hon. Humphrey Mitchell's appeal for more coal miners to go back to the pits and help to solve the problem of Canada's fuel shortage, it said that the Minister had called for the co-operation of the governments of the four western provinces—while appeals had gone to the mayors of all cities between the Great Lakes "and Vancouver."

We propose to give Mr. Mitchell the benefit of the doubt. The Minister of Labor was in Victoria last spring. He knows, too, that Victoria is the capital city of British Columbia—and that Nanaimo is an extremely important British Columbia coal mining centre. We do not know whether the Rev. Dr. Thomson, the newly-appointed head of the CBC is acquainted with Vancouver Island. He has not been in Canada many years; his concept of the Canadian scene may be somewhat restricted, despite its importance to the position he now occupies. But surely some official in authority should be available to check the contents of all announcements which may, or may not, be read into the microphone by operators with only a vague knowledge of the west.

We recall that Mayor McGavin at the National Conference of Mayors in Ottawa last summer "went to the mat" to fight a fairly general reference to Canada as "from Halifax to Vancouver." What Mayor Harrison thinks of the omission by implication of Nanaimo in any reference to the nation's coal supply, and remedial measures for dealing with the shortage, can be readily imagined. Perhaps CBC's Dr. Thomson will tell those of his assistants who are not familiar with Canadian geography that Canada includes Vancouver Island—as well as Vancouver—and that even ministerial statements should be subject to correction in such cases of glaring error.

Would Be A Good Man

ONE OF THE NAMES MENTIONED FOR the post of Deputy Minister of War Services is that of Dr. George F. Davidson, at present executive director of the Canadian Welfare Council, duties he assumed after a highly successful term as Director of Social Welfare for British Columbia. His friends here and elsewhere in Canada—and they are legion—would welcome Dr. Davidson's appointment to the vacancy with a great deal of pleasure and satisfaction. And in view of the fact that the head of the department, Major-General L. R. LaFleche, hails from Quebec and is especially familiar with the eastern outlook, a western deputy, and particularly one with such outstanding ability and fine personal qualities as those possessed by the former social service director of this province, would be most fitting.

Few men in Canada have a more practical and sympathetic approach to social problems than Dr. Davidson. Jobs have persistently sought him, not he the jobs. His efficient administration of the Welfare Federation in the city of Vancouver attracted the attention of the British Columbia government a few years ago and it "conscripted" him for the wider field; and when internationally-known Dr. Charlotte Whitton resigned her important post early last spring, Ottawa cast its eyes westward. Dr. Davidson was invited by the federal authorities to succeed her. His reputation, therefore, has been established nationally—an important factor which entitles his name seriously to be considered by the King government when it appoints a deputy to Major-General LaFleche.

Evidently "our dear son" Franco knows on what side of the bread the butter is to be found.

Mussolini and those of his gang who are still dreaming of Mare Nostrum and a greater empire are about due to hear the alarm clock.

Bruce Hutchison

ALWAYS DIM

WELL," said Mrs. Noggin, "I was out last night, for a visit with Mrs. Boggs, but I wish I'd stayed 'ome. You 'ave to walk down the Saanich Road, you know, with a flashlight and a piece of paper tied over the end of it in case a Jap submarine is lurkin' in the ditch beside you ready to drop a bomb. 'Tis queer to see the street lights 'all shinin' about a 'undered candle-power, and me avin' to keep a paper over me little flashlight in case I might start the 'ole Jap fleet bombardin' Victoria. But I s'pose they know wot they're doin' in these 'ere regulations. They 'ave known before, 'ave'n't they?"

"There's one good thing about the dim-out, twill keep people 'at 'ome. And for most of us life 'as always bin a kind of dim-out from the beginnin'. As I look around me I think most of me friends 'as bin permanently dimmed out from the time they was born. In fact, wot the 'ole world 'as bin sufferin' from for 20 years is a general case of dimout, and we was just brightenin' up a bit, you know, when they turn the lights out on us."

"But I don't care. I 'ear fellers say as it 'as 'ardship to drive their cars with only a s'lit of light comin' through, like the look of a Jap's eye, but this talk of 'ardship 'ere in this town makes me lart. Why, fer years now I've bin readin' in the papers 'ow things is goin' to get tough, and groceries scarce and all like that. I've read every Christmas since the war started 'ow this was goin' to be a stern and grim war Christmas and every year it gets jollier than ever."

And now I read in the papers as Mrs. Boggs sent over with garbage in 'em fer me 'ens as the Christmas trade this year will be the biggest ever. And I must say the quality of Mrs. Boggs' garbage 'asn't deteriorated much since the war began. Judgin' by it, the 'ardship in the Boggs family 'asn't any; think to set down and cry over. I dare say most of the people in France and Russia wish they was my 'ens, if they could see what Mrs. Boggs sends over.

PROSPERITY

AS A MATTER OF fact it is, we 'ave'n't 'ad any 'ardship in this country yet—I mean except the people 'ow are really in the war. The rest of us is better off than we ever was in our lives. I 'ate to admit it but since my old man went back to work—'e's a janitor now, you know, in a buildin' down town—I've fairly wallered in riches. 'Tis the first time this family 'as bin prosperous since Uncle Erbert was an alderman in Liverpool, which didn't last long before they sent 'im to jail on some technicality, which was most unjust because 'e 'ad no notion of stealin' the money, thinkin' it was only politics.

"In fact, the more I look about me and see everybody with plenty of money I wonder when the war is goin' to start fer most of us. The government keeps warnin' us and makin' terrifyin' speeches and at first I was terrified and saved my money and put down a lot of extra eggs. But since nothin' 'as 'appened I'm beginnin' to doubt it. 'Tis like the story of the boy and the wolf, you know. When the government really means to 'it us 'ard no one will believe it till the blow 'as fallen."

"When I 'ear Mrs. Boggs complainin' because she can't drive 'er car to town and 'as to go on the bus, I feel like sayin' the rest of us 'as bin doin' that right along. When I 'ear people talkin' about it's 'ard to get all the meat and butter and stuff they want I feel like sayin' most folks 'as bin goin' short all their lives. And when fellers complain about the dimout I'd like to tell 'em the people in the Old Country 'as bin blacked out fer three years."

BRUTALIZING

IT SEEMS TO ME, though I 'ardly like to say it, that the war makes people more selfish and brutal than before. They say war makes everybody treat their neighbor better, but you wouldn't think so if you was standin' on the road, 'opin' to get a lift to town. Before the war people often stopped and picked me up and took me in, but now no more. You can stand on the Saanich Road any day, sir, and you'd be there till dark and 'undreds of cars passin' by and no one stoppin' to offer you a lift."

"When I see a big car go sailin' by with some over-dressed lady drivin' it alone, or some fat slob of a man, I think to myself, that is why we almost lost the war, that is why there is fellers like 'Tiler in the world. I dare say such women and men are kind at 'ome. I dare say they don't beat their wives any more than necessary, and probably feed their children. Probably they think they're good patriotic folks and 'ate 'Tiler same as anyone else. I dare say they'd be surprised if you was to tell 'em they're 'Tiler's friends and the allies of Mussoloney and the Japs. But they are. Because every time they pass me that way, with their noses in the air and the back-seat empty, it 'eet ruins my morale for the 'ole day. I say to meself wot is the use, 'Tiler, fightin' a war to save such people as that? If that is the kind of people we are, I say we might as well invite 'Tiler and Mussoloney in right now, because we need 'em."

"And jest about then some feller comes along with a broken-down rattler-trap 20 years old and opens the dark and asks me if I want a ride to town and then my faith is restored for the day. But tis usually the poor feller with the old flivver as asks you. The man with the big car is too busy goin' to town to make a speech about winnin' the war, and the rich lady is on 'er way to a tea party for the relief of China. I wish you'd tell them, sir, in the newspaper, as I could stand a little relief myself sometimes, on the feet."

SIDE GLANCES



"Couldn't the storm windows wait until tomorrow?" Uncle Joe is our first-string quarterback!"

'Voices of Victory'

So successful has been the reception of "Voices of Victory," a second edition has now been printed and its sale will be promoted through the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire. "Voices of Victory" is a collection of representative poetry of Canada in wartime compiled by the poetry group of the Toronto branch of the Canadian Authors' Association.

More than 1,100 volumes of the first edition of "Voices of Victory" have been sold. Over \$1,000 was raised through the sale of the book, and devoted to British bombed-victims. Officials of the I.O.D.E. expressed the hope that the second edition will be readily accepted by the Canadian public, thereby assisting the work of the I.O.D.E. as well as making better known throughout Canada the work of Canada's leading poets.

Canadian poets widely recognized as established craftsmen have contributed to "Voices of Victory." The collection also includes the prize-winning poems in the contest sponsored by the poetry group of the Toronto branch, Canadian Authors' Association, and 20 poems receiving honorable mention. The volume was printed with two objectives, "to contribute the proceeds of its sale to British bomb victims and to let the poetic genius of the Canadian people sound a spiritual challenge to the brutality of enemy tyrants."

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By Galbraith

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There is no greater delusion than the supposition that animals are always under anaesthetics. Medical opinions support this statement.

"The immunization of the masses is undertaken with almost religious fervor. The enthusiast rarely stopped to wonder where it would all finish, or whether the fulsome promises made to the public in the form of 'propaganda' would ever be honored." (C. C. Oskell, former Bacteriologist, University College Hospital, England, in "Lancet," Jan. 1, 1938, p. 48.)

"... It (cancer) must be regarded as a just and certain Nemesis which has overtaken civilized man and is by way of rapidly destroying him, root and branch, for his hideous injustice in attempting to ameliorate, or prevent, diseased conditions of his body by subjecting for the production of these evil substances (vaccines and serums) his poor, defenceless fellow creatures to agonies..." (A. S. McNeil, L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S., L.F.S.S.G.)

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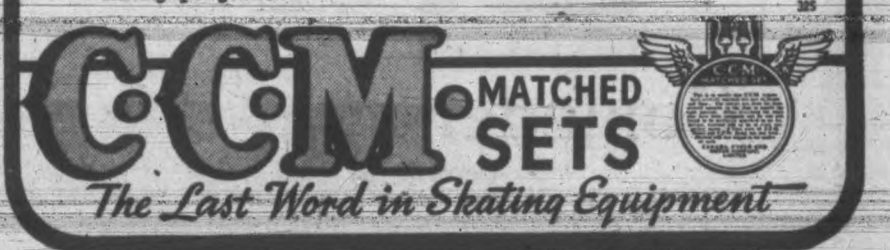
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On learning her husband, although a prisoner, was safe at Hongkong, Mrs. Marianne Squires admitted she could not do very much work. She is employed at the Royal Trust Co.



Mrs. F. Grimston, 2316 Howard Street, although relieved on learning her son is a prisoner, is still anxious to receive a letter from him.

Merriman Talks

PRIVATES FIRST

On the highest authority, so high it can be quoted, a private, married, is the greatest asset in the whole army. A private, single, rates second in military value.

The highest authority is the soldiers' own paper, The Rookie, which is worthy of far wider circulation than around the Vezey camp where it is issued. To arrive at the decision, however, it is necessary to place two or three items together.

Before The Rookie was ever thought of old soldiers knew that married men made the best soldiers. They were so used to taking orders at home that they easily fell into the way of unquestioning obedience in the army.

But to start at the beginning. First to establish the fact a private is the most important man in the army, a verse written by a well-informed private soldier should be sufficient. Here it is: The colonel calls the major

When he wants something done. The major calls the captain. And starts him on the run. The captain then gets busy. And strives to make things suit. By shifting all the baggage

On a one-piped second loot. The sad lieutenant ponders. And strokes a beardless jaw. Then calls the trusty sergeant. And to him lays down the law.

The sergeant calls the corporal. And explains how it must be. And the corporal calls the private. And that, my friends, is me.

MARRIED MEN BEST

Having proved the value of a private soldier it is an easy step to prove that of the married private. The married man wins the laurels as being the most valuable one to the army. Mr. McLenore points out that nearly all the great soldiers of history were married men.

Henry states as a fact— "There is no finer training than marriage for a soldier. Six months of married life are equivalent to three years in a camp or three or four years of mar-

riage will do more for a man than half a dozen campaigns. The old argument of obedience which a married man learns before he enters the army is stressed and then it is pointed out that a married soldier will never underestimate an opponent.

IN KITCHEN BATTLE DRESS

"Can you imagine?" asks this writer, "a married gunbearer holding the enemy lightly when he has learned that one woman wearing nothing more formidable than dotted gingham, weighing less than 100 pounds and armed with nothing more lethal than a glance can defeat him 10 times out of 11."

"A married soldier has no fear of hard work. War winning is no tougher than breadwinning. Most married men find army life easy, the duties slight after years of being the No. 2 boy in a household. What is a forced march compared with running upstairs to get the scissors, going down to the basement to get the mop, hanging pictures, straightening curtains, mowing the lawn, running to the grocery store for this, running to the drug store for that and generally being a perpetual motion machine?"

HIS OWN GRANDFATHER

When I first got this item sent in by a reader I thought I might become a patient too, but after a time it seems logical. Try it yourself: A man was visiting a lunatic asylum one day and while walking the grounds he met a patient to whom he said: "Well, and what brought you here?"

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The man replied: "Well, sir, you see, I married a widow who had a grown-up daughter. My father then married my wife's daughter which made my wife the mother-in-law to her father-in-law and my father became my son. Then my stepmother and daughter of my wife had a son and that boy, of course, was my brother, because he was my father's son but he was also a son of my wife's stepdaughter and therefore her grandson and that made me the grandfather of my stepbrother. Then my wife had a son, so my mother-in-law is the stepsister of my son and is also his grandmother. Because his stepsister is my father's wife, then I am the brother of my own son, who is also the son of his step-grandmother and I am my mother's brother-in-law, my wife is her own child's aunt, my son his father's nephew, and I am my own grandfather—that is one reason I am here."

REPLY TO BLABBERMOUTHS

Judging from the way U.S. radio commentators praise Britain's part in the war and ungrudgingly give full credit to their allies for the part they are playing one would not realize there is any anti-British feeling in America. However, a recent propaganda movie was produced in the United States entitled "Blabbermouth" to show it was a deliberate part of the Nazi plan to foster unfounded chatter that might stir ill-feeling between members of the United Nations. After men-

tioning this fact the New York Mirror under the head "Bless You—Britain!" says this:

When American doughboys by the thousands storm over the beaches where a handful of Rangers fought with Britain's commandos, then will Americans remember—and be grateful—that the people of Britain held Hitler in check for one year—alone.

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Keep Eye on Restaurants

In view of crowded conditions, Prince Rupert has moved to control cleanliness in its restaurants. Provincial Cabinet, by order-in-council this week, approved the city's Public Health By-law, which will give city officials the authority to rigidly inspect all restaurants and see certain standards of cleanliness are maintained.

Phosphoric acid acts as a catalyst when used in the distillation of hardwoods and increases the yield of acetic acid.

Bonus Discussion By Council Monday

Discussion of the cost-of-living bonus question at today's regular City Council meeting will probably be confined to consideration in committee of the whole, it was indicated at the City Hall today.

The award of the board of arbitration on the question, together with correspondence covering the matter, has been forwarded to each member of the council for study and further explanatory material is expected to be presented by the city comptroller at the meeting.

Prior to the general business at 3 Miss Gladys Huick, Victoria, will receive a Royal Canadian Humane Association parchment from the mayor in recognition of her life-saving feat at Vesuvius Bay, Salt Spring Island, last July. Also listed for the council session is consideration of a petition from gasoline shop operators in the city seeking further reduction of hours. The petition asks 8 in the morning be made the opening hour and 6 at night closing time.



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Miss E. Pendray Becomes Bride Of G. K. Verley

Standard baskets of white chrysanthemums and tall white tapers in candelabra formed an impressive setting in Metropolitan United Church Saturday evening at 8:30 for the wedding of Florence Ellen, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pendray, 2391 Beach Drive, and Mr. Gordon Keith Verley, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. St. Leger Keith Verley, 1045 Haro Street, Vancouver. Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, D.D., performed the ceremony.

A white satin gown, with a lace yoke, long sleeves and a train worn by the bride, who was given in marriage by her father. Her tiara of orange blossoms and net held a short veil, and a long train of white net, and she carried a shower bouquet of rose carnations and heather. The bride's sister, Mrs. F. A. E. Manning, was matron of honor, gowned in dusky rose crepe, and Miss Betty Ellis was bridesmaid in a deeper shade of rose. Their similar frocks were styled with full skirts, big pockets, and trimmed with large bows on the bodice. They wore headresses of rose net in Anne Boleyn fashion, and carried bouquets of pink and rose chrysanthemums. Miss Roberta Cummins, niece of the bride, was flower girl dressed as a miniature bride in white satin, a tiara of orange blossoms, and carried a colonial bouquet. Mr. Nigel Tomlin was best man, and acting as ushers were Messrs. Alan Taylor, Brian Green, H. A. Tomlin, and F. A. E. Manning.

RECEIVE GUESTS

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents where Mrs. Pendray received the guests wearing a gown of rose crepe with gold sequin trim, a matching hat trimmed with feathers and a corsage bouquet of gardenias and Tailsman roses. She was assisted by Mrs. St. Leger Verley, wearing a blue dress with a yoke of silver beads and a tiny veiled hat of violets. A pink four-tier cake centred the candlelit supper table, and was cut by the bride after Mr. Fred McGregor proposed the toast. The reception rooms were arranged with pink and white chrysanthemums.

After a honeymoon on the mainland, Mr. and Mrs. Verley will make their home at 2764 Dufferin Street. For going-away the bride wore a dressmaker suit in teal blue, having a grey squirrel collar and muff to match, a blue hat feather-trimmed, and a corsage bouquet of gardenias and violets. Out-of-town guests at the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. St. L. K. Verley, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Cummins and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Manning, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Manning, Mr. and Mrs. W. Drake, all of Vancouver.

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Successful candidates will be trained as traffic control assistants as a part of the program of expansion being undertaken by the civil aviation branch of department of transport in its airport and airway traffic control system.

Third Victoria West (Cathedral) held its first enrollment ceremony Friday at Memorial Hall, when all the recruits who had passed their test were enrolled by the district commissioner, Mrs. Dorothy Abraham. This pack, under the leadership of Mrs. Haseltine and Miss Helen Stevens, still has room for a few more Brownies. Next Friday at the Y.W.C.A. Hall the local association of west district will meet in the afternoon at 2:30.

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MISS VERA SMITH



—Photo by Robert Fort.

LIEUT. G. S. COVERNTON

The engagement is announced of Vera Eleanor, younger daughter of Mrs. G. Kennedy Smith, Beach Drive, and the late Mr. G. Kennedy Smith, to Lieut. George Stephen Covernton, R.C.N.V.R., second son of Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Covernton, Laurier Avenue, Vancouver. The wedding will take place Dec. 19 at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay.

Social and Personal

Second Lieut. I. K. Carey is a patient in the Royal Jubilee Hospital.

Miss Barbara Winslow has returned to her home in this city after a visit to eastern Canada.

Mrs. Gordon Hunter of Victoria and Shawinigan Lake is a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital.

Lieut. Gage Love, R.C.N.V.R., was guest in Vancouver of Mrs. T. A. Spencer on his trip from Toronto to Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Titherington of Banff are visiting in Victoria, having come from Vancouver, where they spent some time.

Lieut. J. W. White, R.C.A.F.C., left Friday for the east after spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. White, Vlodet Road, Saanich.

Mrs. D. E. MacLeavy has returned to her home in Los Angeles after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Watson, 1240 Oscar Street, for the past two months.

Prior to her marriage Saturday evening, Mrs. C. Murgrave, formerly Miss Ethel Fee, was the guest of honor at a party arranged by her cousins, the Misses Zena and Peggy Doran. Covers were set for 16.

Mrs. J. W. Spencer and her daughter, Mrs. Donald Campbell, are in Vancouver for the latter's exhibit of paintings being held in Vancouver this week for the Vancouver Branch of the Canadian Red Cross, which opens today and will continue for the week at David Spencer Ltd.

Airwomen from Victoria in the Royal Canadian Air Force, Women's Division, who have completed courses and graduated from No. 6 Manning Depot, Toronto on Thursday are AW2 W. H. Harris and AW2 J. Johnson, Meteorological observers. They have been posted to stations and are now releasing men for other duties in the R.C.A.F.

Mrs. Reuben Cartwright was hostess recently to members of the Chiselers' Bridge Club at her home on Foster Street. Dainty refreshments were served and prizes won by Mrs. C. Robbins and Mrs. H. Williams. Members present were Mesdames Kenneth Scott, Harry Williams, Cyril Robbins, Robert Bullen, Reuben Cartwright, Robert Stewart and Miss Betty Lansell. Guest of the evening was Mrs. Gilbert Stancombe. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. R. Bullen, Earl Grey Street.

Miss Kathleen Harris, formerly of Victoria, has gone to Washington to join the staff of the British Ministry of Supply Mission at Washington, D.C. Miss Harris was presented with a leather handbag by her fellow workers of the T. Eaton Company, Calgary, before leaving that city to take up her new position. Miss Harris lived in Victoria for several years and attended Central High School. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Small, 3608 Douglas Street.

Miss Jean Taylor, whose marriage to L.Bdr. Alex Hutchison, R.C.A., will take place next month, was guest of honor at a dance party given by Miss Margaret Marshall, 1275 Balmoral Road. The bride-to-be was presented with a corsage bouquet of red carnations and a pair of maroon chrysanthemums in a silver bowl proved attractive as the centerpiece for the table at which covers were laid for Mrs. A. Hawke, Mrs. P. Gamon, Mrs. E. Marshall, Mrs. A. Knowles, Misses J. Taylor, E. Williamson, B. Beaumont, M. King, G. Haggard, D. McKay and M. Marshall.

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Weddings

MUSGRAVE-FEE

Amid a beautiful setting of pink and white chrysanthemums, the marriage was solemnized between Ada Ethel, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Musgrave, 1640 Quadra Street, and Charles Alexander Musgrave, R.C.N.F.R., only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Musgrave, Vancouver. Rev. Norman Smith performed the ceremony at St. Barnabas' Church Saturday, 8:30.

Entering the church with her father, the bride looked radiant in her wedding gown simply fashioned of white sheer, with Elizabethan sleeves, and a neckline of studded rhinestones. Her veil was finished with halo effect, and she carried a bouquet of American Beauty roses and white heather.

There were two attendants. Miss Kathleen Musgrave, sister of the groom was becomingly attired in aquamarine sheer, styled on princess lines. Her hat was of palest pink and she carried a sheath of pink carnations. Miss Minifred Garrick, the bride's cousin, wore a dress of hush pink, fashioned along princess lines. Her hat, of the same color, completed her attire and she carried pink carnations. Mr. George Christie, R.C.N.F.R., was best man. Mr. T. Fee and Mr. D. A. Morton, R.C.N.V.R., were the ushers. During the signing of the register, Mrs. Frank Jones sang "Because."

A largely-attended reception was held at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. G. Fee, Haultain Street. The bride's mother received the guests in a smart afternoon frock of Java brown, with hat en suite and corsage bouquet of tallsmans roses. The groom's mother assisted, wearing an attractive gown of maroon crepe with matching hat and corsage bouquet of tallsmans roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Musgrave left on their honeymoon to the mainland, the bride donning a dressmaker suit in Elizabethan blue and brown fur coat with matching accessories. On their return, they will reside at Quadra Street.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. J. Musgrave, Mrs. M. Glass, Mr. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. R. Fee, Mrs. T. Fee, Miss Gladys Fee and Miss M. Iverson, all of Vancouver.

BARKLEY-McKAY

A quiet wedding took place at Centennial United Church, Saturday morning at 11, when Rev. John Turner united in marriage Marjorie Ethel, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McKay, 794 Hillside Avenue, and Mr. Wilbur (Bill) Barkley, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Barkley, Chilliwack, B.C.

The bride was given away by her mother, and wore a beige frock with brown accessories and a corsage bouquet of pink carnations. Miss Elsie Davies was bridesmaid, and Mr. W. Wylie, groomsmen.

Mr. and Mrs. Barkley left immediately after the ceremony for a Vancouver honeymoon.

SHARPE-CURTIS

Vivian Evelyn, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Curtis, 1617 Camosun Street, was united in marriage Saturday evening at 8 to AC2 David Sharpe, R.C.A.F., eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Sharpe, 1527 Camosun Street. Rev. F. Chilton officiated at the ceremony in Knox Presbyterian Church, where the bride's parents had been married 27 years ago, and Mr. L. Partington, who also played at their wedding, presided at the organ. White and orchid chrysanthemums and greenery were arranged throughout the church by Mrs. D. Dopp and Mrs. Harris, and during the signing of the register Miss Lois Russell sang "Because."

The bride was given in marriage by her father, and wore a white satin gown in princess style with long tapering sleeves and Peter Pan collar. A halo adorned with orange blossoms held her silk embroidered veil which fell to the hem of her gown, and she carried a bouquet of pink roses and white carnations showered with heather. The only attendant was Miss Merle Waggett wearing a floor-length frock of blue net with two gardenias in her hair, and carrying a colonial bouquet of white and pink carna-

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Present Artists In Concert Friday

First Baptist Women's Society will present a concert on Friday at 8 p.m. in the church hall. The artists will be Mrs. W. H. Wilson, soprano; Mrs. W. H. Foote, contralto; Mr. Sidney Chiverall, baritone; and the Warncliffe Trio, Bebe Warn, violin; Nanie Warn, cello; and Mrs. C. C. Warn, piano. Mrs. Warn will also be accompanist. The trio will be heard in "Allegro Animato," "Andantino" and "Allegro Con Fuoco." Mrs. Wilson's solos are "My True Love" by Henry Hadley, "Sylvia" by C. Sinding, "Blue Danube" by Johann Strauss, and "Estrellita" arranged by Frank LaForge. Mrs. Foote will sing "Nocturne" by P. G. Curran, "Ashes of Roses" by R. Huntington Woodman, "To the Sun" by Pearl G. Curran, and "Open Thon, My Love, Thy Blue Eyes" by J. Massenet. Solos by Mr. Chiverall will be "My Abode" (Schubert), "I Travel the Road" by Pal Thayer, "Droop Not Young Lover" (Handel), and "Mattiuta" (Leoncavallo).

Will Celebrate St. Andrew's Night

St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society will hold the annual St. Andrew's night concert and dance in A.O.F. Hall Friday at 8. The committee in charge have been fortunate in securing some fine talent for the concert. Dr. Henriette Anderson will occupy the chair. The following artists will take part: Mrs. M. Goodwin, Miss M. Mitchell, Miss Elaine Morby, Mrs. G. MacDonald, Mrs. Jones, Mr. Bob Morrison, Mr. L. Ross, Capt. C. Thomson, Lieut. Petrie, Mr. Oliver, Mr. MacFarlane; instrumental numbers, Mr. E. Groves Sr., Mr. Groves Jr.; Highland dancers; Mrs. J. Cartwright, pianist.

C.C.F. Women's Auxiliary meets at headquarters, 887 Pandora Avenue, Mrs. McLaurin will speak on "Parliamentary Procedure" at 2.30.

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Calgary Missionary From Japan Now In Cairo Job

TORONTO — Word has been received by the Missionary Society of the Church of England in Canada that Miss Marie Foerstal of Calgary, who has been serving as a Church of England Missionary in Japan, is now working for the British government in Cairo, Egypt.

Miss Foerstal was on board a British evacuation ship which carried hundreds of "foreigners" from Japan to Lourenco Marques, South East Africa. Arriving there it was learned that five stenographers were needed in the British office at Cairo.

"I was fortunate enough to be one of the five chosen," Miss Foerstal wrote. "We are all now waiting in Durban for transportation to take us there. As it is almost impossible to get back to Canada at present, I count myself very fortunate to have been given this opportunity, and am thrilled to be going to that particular spot."

BITTER STORIES
Writing of her treatment in Japan, Miss Foerstal declared that: "There will be many bitter stories told at home of the atrocities (and, alas, I know only too well that they are true), but I do want my friends to know that the ordinary people, that is, the average man and woman, are as kind and courteous as ever. It is the military, and the military police who are enforcing all that is ugly and cruel."

She continued, "Being with the British embassy, I was well looked after during the eight months we were in Tokyo. (Miss Foerstal took this position instead of evacuating with other Church of England missionaries in 1940). There were 91 of us in all, and we were comfortably housed in the houses on the compound and by using part of the Chancery Building for living quarters for some of the members. The Japanese provided us with well with vegetables and fruit, and with meat and fish when possible, though this was scarce at times. They also provided bread, butter, sugar and flour, which, together with canned foods that we had pooled from our own stores, enabled us to live on a well balanced diet. Of course, we were not allowed out of the compound without an escort (private detective) but if dental care was necessary, members were able to go (under escort) to the dentist, and shopping trips were also arranged which averaged about twice for each member during the eight months. Some of us were fortunate enough to have faithful 'amahe' who were allowed to visit us from time to time at the iron-gates of the entrance, and they would do shopping for odd things for us, and would bring gifts of food that they could spare out of their own none too large rations."

Miss Marie Foerstal went to Japan in 1927, and was district visitor in the parish of St. Saviour, Nagano; and evangelistic worker at the Obuse Tuberculosis Sanatorium which is in that parish.

Seamen's Institute Holds Birthday Tea

The 28th anniversary of Connaught Seamen's Institute will be celebrated Wednesday with a silver tea at the institute. The president, Mrs. Vernon Thomson, hopes to welcome many old and new friends.

Mrs. J. W. Church, first vice-president, is again convening the tea, while presiding at the tea table will be Mrs. Andrew McGavin, Mrs. Curtis Sampson, Mrs. Walter Nicol and Miss Kathleen Agnew.

Mrs. W. R. Sayer, honorary president, has charge of the program. In referring to the forthcoming affair, one of the Connaught Seamen's Institute members remarked: "It is at this time that we realize what these unsung, nonuniformed 'heroes' of the merchant navy, with no issue of clothing, are doing for us. Torpedoed, shipwrecked and with everything lost, they sign on again, and we have often completely outfitted them. The institute has been, and is a home from home for these boys in particular and for all sailors."

All who are interested in seamen are invited to attend the silver tea on Wednesday.

Victoria Lodge Daughters of St. George met recently with **Worthy President Mrs. E. Jones** in the chair. Cards and a dance were enjoyed when men of the 'three services' were guests of the lodge. Mrs. K. Galger, Mrs. J. Hudnot in charge of the dance; Mrs. F. Chappell and Mrs. C. Clarke in charge of cards; Mrs. M. Haines and Mrs. J. Lomas, dance tickets. Drill practice Nov. 20 at 8. Next meeting Dec. 2 at 8. Installation of officers.

BUY WAR SAVINGS BONDS

Nine Months in Washington

Victoria Girl Becomes A No. 1 Secretary

By KAY MCINTYRE
Times Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON, D.C. — Becky Mortimer, who gave up her job at the Naval Dockyard, Esquimalt, only last March to come to Washington, is another Victorian who has made good as a No. 1 secretary in the capital—and all in less than nine months.

As secretary to Col. W. D. J. Harries of the Royal Signals at the British army staff office, she earns more than \$2,000 a year. Her job carries both interest and responsibility. She knows about protocol and things like that. Most of her associates are already veterans of the present war, have seen front line service at Dunkerque, in India, Egypt and Burma, and among the staff members is Col. Adrian Eden, a cousin of Anthony Eden. She works hard but finds time for recreation, too, although she admits to missing the golf she used to enjoy in Victoria. When I saw her today she was planning to make up for the latter during the vacation she was planning in Miami before Christmas.

ATMOSPHERE IN GEORGETOWN

Salaries, she points out, are in proportion with higher rentals, which, incidentally, were pegged as at Jan. 1, 1941. Her solution to the housing problem is a streamlined apartment shared with an American woman lawyer whose husband is overseas. Before moving into their find, which they actually got through an ad in the papers, Becky boarded in old Georgetown, Virginia, part of the original Washington.

"Plenty of atmosphere," she describes it, "but not as convenient as I have now." "The hardest part was getting used to first technical words and phrases I'd never heard of before."

CHANCES TO GO FAR

An advantage of working in Washington, she says, is that should anyone tire of her job there are always plenty of opportunities for a change. She had just heard of several girls journeying to Rio to work on the staff of a commission appointed to Brazil. Appointments to the offices of



BECKY MORTIMER
To Miami for Vacation

consuls and attaches in other distant points from Panama to Canberra are to be had, too.

ADMIRALS TAKE TO WAVES

The way the Waves—the lady sailors like the Wrens around Victoria—are taking over the U.S. Navy Department is one of the current sensations in Washington, and possibly outlines the shape of things to come around Esquimalt and other navy depots in Canada.

It is a regular occurrence here now for some salty, wind-burned old desk admiral, who previously had viewed with horror the idea of women in the navy, to come around and requisition several hundred or a thousand Waves for this or that department.

One reason the admirals are learning to like the Waves is that they are selected with more care and higher qualifications than the girls offered by Civil Service. More important is the fact that the Waves, being in the navy, can be bossed around better and can be disciplined when they don't obey orders. That is, the admirals like to think they can rule the Waves as well as the waves.

Emergency Nurses Still Enrolling

The gratifying response to the urgent appeal for all nurses to enroll for emergency nursing service in Victoria and district is an indication that those who participated therein realize the importance of preparedness to meet the needs of the community in case of any call requiring skilled service to save suffering.

In a vulnerable area, all should be prepared and ready to serve. Organized preparation leads the way. Many who care for the sick but not feel qualified to enroll but all women who have been nursing in any capacity have a useful and patriotic opportunity to render service, if and when needed. This includes married and inactive graduates as well as the practical nursing group.

The booth is now closed at David Spencer's, but forms may yet be obtained at the Nurses' Directory, 855 Vancouver Street, the admitting office at either the St. Joseph's or Jubilee Hospitals. It is requested by the convener that the forms be returned to the Nurses' Directory as soon as possible.

Women's Auxiliary to Royal Canadian Navy meets at the Y.W.C.A. Tuesday at 2.

Women to Discuss Political Plans

Continuing discussion of post-war reconstruction problems, the Women's Council Table have chosen the topic, "What Is Your Political Plan for the New World Order?" for the next meeting, Wednesday, Dec. 2, in Central Junior High School auditorium, at 8.

Mrs. Margaret Clay, public librarian, will speak on the Social Plan, giving some idea of what such a plan would entail. Mrs. Alan Campbell will discuss the plan for a Reformed League of Nations and describe the latest ideas and efforts of adherents of the league. Mrs. D. L. MacLaurin, B.A., has chosen for her topic the Federal Union Plan. This latter plan has been widely considered and discussed in recent years and it is felt that Mrs. MacLaurin's address will clarify many points.

Mrs. A. C. Ross will act as discussion leader and there will be the usual time for questions and discussion.

Brentwood Red Cross Unit will meet in Women's Institute Hall, Brentwood, Wednesday, at 3. Reports from committees, election of officers. Membership cards for 1943 will be available.

Clubwomen's News

Executive committee Victoria Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., will meet Thursday morning at 10.30.

Navy League Chapter, I.O.D.E., knitting meeting at the home of Mrs. C. W. Plumb, Mt. Edward Apartment, 1002 Vancouver Street, Wednesday at 2.30.

Ladies' Auxiliary to Army and Navy Veterans will meet Wednesday at 2 in clubrooms, Warril Street. Card game Thursday at 8, Room 301 Union Building.

W.A. Britannia Branch, No. 7, Canadian Legion, will hold their card social Thursday evening at 8, in the clubrooms, View Street. Cribbage and court whist will be played and refreshments served.

Next meeting of Burnside Child Study Group will be Tuesday evening at 8, at the home of Mrs. Price, 3164 Goma Street. The subject will be on Senior Education.

Second Mile Club, First Baptist Church, will meet Tuesday at home of Mrs. Mackay, 1358 Pandora Avenue, at 8. Mrs. Ross will be the speaker. A mystery sale will be held.

St. Aidan's Ladies' Guild will hold its fall bazaar Wednesday from 3 to 6, at the Church Hall. Mrs. Nellie McClung will open the affair and there will be many useful articles and gift suggestions for the purchasers.

W.A. of the Victoria Branch of the B.C. Channel Islands Society will meet in Women's Institute Rooms Thursday at 2.30. Christmas cards will be ready for distribution and final arrangements for the coming social evening on Dec. 1 will be made.

There is great activity among members of Oak Bay Subdivision, Catholic Women's League, in preparation for the bazaar party and apron sale to be held Dec. 2 at 2.30 at the home of Mrs. John Hart, 1961 Fairfield Road. The public is invited.

St. Saviour's Evening Branch W.A. will give "Gay Nineties Review" Thursday at 8 in the Parish Hall. Final arrangements were made at a social at the home of Mrs. Peterson, 703 Pine Street, Monday evening. Games were played and refreshments served.

Annual Christmas bazaar St. Mary's Women's Guild, Friday, Dec. 4, in St. Mary's Hall, Yale Street, from 2.30 to 6. There will be stalls of useful and fanciful articles suitable for Christmas gifts. Refreshments will be served and some favorite beverages substituted for tea and coffee.

South Saanich Women's Institute met recently with president, Mrs. Doney, in the chair. A turkey card party will be held Dec. 11. Plans were made to hold a chicken supper for members on Dec. 15. The prize was won by Mrs. Doney and the hostesses were Mesdames Hafer Sr., R. Michell and E. Gait.

Britannia Lodge, L.O.B.A., tea at the home of Mrs. A. H. Fea, 844 Wollaston Street, Thursday evening, the lodge presented Mrs. Doris Fea with a C.W.A.C. identification bracelet. She is leaving shortly for a training course in the east. An apron shower at the home of Mrs. Baker, 107 View Street, Wednesday afternoon.

Canadian Daughters' League and friends met Thursday in Shrine Hall, when Mrs. Bertucci's Juvenile Orchestra entertained. Proceeds were in aid of C. D. L. Home Defence Fund. Refreshments were served. Executive to meet Thursday at Mrs. Whitwell's home, 1921 Crescent Road.

Final plans for forthcoming bazaar, Dec. 4, were made at meeting of Princess Patricia Lodge, Daughters of St. George, Friday night, Vice-president, Mrs. E. Jackson, in the chair. Supper

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		FLOUR FETHERLITE Pastry, 24-lb. sack	98¢
		FLOOR WAX Poliflor, 1-lb. tin	42¢
		COFFEE HYGRADE, 1-lb. can	32¢
		ROLLED OATS QUAKER, 48-oz. packet	19¢
		CHEESE Medium flavor, lb.	32¢
		LARD SHAMROCK BRAND, 1-lb. carton	13¢
		BEANS LUNCHEON, 2 for 23¢	23¢
		WAX PAPER 100-foot roll	19¢
		TOMATOES Ayl. Choice, 2 1/2-size tin	13¢
		GRAPEFRUIT TEXAS 4 for 19¢	19¢
		LEMONS SUNKIST, dozen	19¢

will be convened by Mrs. K. Herring, and members and friends wishing to attend are asked to phone E.3869. Members to return raffle tickets as soon as possible. Nomination of officers took place. Social, dance and cards were under Mrs. A. Spaven. Refreshments served by Mesdames Weatherall, J. Millar, H. Webb and R. Corness.

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Butchers Support Government Bill On Bone and Fat

Charles Le Ferle, of Ottawa, director of the salvage division of the Department of National War Services, met directors of the Salvage Corps of B.C. in Victoria Friday. He came via Nanaimo Tuesday and was accompanied by A. Sheline, director of salvage for Alberta and British Columbia, and J. E. McCormack of the Dominion Government War Salvage Company, Vancouver office.

They met Victoria meat market operators at the Empress Hotel to discuss the new ruling issued by the Dominion government regarding collection of bones and fat to be used in making explosives. Mr. Sheline addressed the meeting and after explaining that fats were the main source of explosives said that the supply had been almost completely cut off by enemy action and that only five months supply remained in Canada. He outlined the wishes of the Canadian government and asked for the earnest desire of all connected with the meat trade to co-operate with the Salvage Corps under whose direction the drive for bones and fat will be made in the interests of the government.

SALE OF WASTE

Details of the plan to be carried on was discussed by butchers, who were unanimous in expressing their desire to give their utmost co-operation. Butchers will be asked to receive fat which may be saved and rendered down by the housewife. If such fat is donated the plan is to use the money obtained from its sale for the purpose of promoting the welfare and practical friendship to members of armed forces, both men and women, of whom there are so many in Victoria away from their homes and friends.

Funds will be handled by the Co-ordinating Council of War Charities in the interest of various undertakings of auxiliary services which include residential hostels, hostess houses, home-hospitality bureaus and many other services for the uniformed citizens. It is hoped to bring a plan into operation the early part of December, but the practical method of collection of bone and fat from approximately 50 butchers through garbage collection in the four municipalities requires a considerable amount of organization.

The corps has been asked to undertake the work of organizing and will receive assistance from Major Mills of the Dominion Salvage Division for a few days commencing Monday. While the household will be entitled to four cents a pound for fat delivered to the butcher, it is hoped by the salvage corps that the majority of women will donate the material in the interest of Auxiliary Services. Perforated cards of acknowledgment are being prepared which will constitute a receipt for every donation of four cent worth of fat.

MUNICIPALITIES HELP

This plan will get under way first as a matter of dealing with large quantities of green bones from butchers which require great preparation for efficient handling, particularly in hot weather. Already the garbage company and the municipalities have shown willingness in co-operating. Further information will be given out as plans develop. Fats should not be taken to the butcher shops until announcement is made of completed plans.

Mr. LeFerle, following his inspection of the Cloverdale Salvage Depot, said "It is the finest corps I've seen in Canada or anywhere else and should be used as a model to other salvage corps across Canada."

'Must Destroy Hitler' Says Tim Buck

WINNIPEG (CP)—Tim Buck, former general secretary of the Communist Party of Canada, in an address here Sunday, said labor in Canada must make it self so indispensable to the war effort that no one will deny it the right to speak at the peace table after the war has been won.

Speaking to a capacity audience in a Winnipeg theatre, Mr. Buck said "complete destruction of Hitlerism and Fascism is the principal task today, and all other interests must be submerged for the good of this cause."

"It's wrong to think," he added, "that we're in this war to save the people of Europe. That's a lot of boloney. We're out to save our own skins. If we want Canada to belong to the Canadian people, then we must destroy Hitler."

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The Melancholy Days Are Come



Lehman Appointed To Distribute Food To Occupied Lands

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Roosevelt is placing Governor Herbert H. Lehman of New York in charge of distributing American food, clothing and medicine to the people of lands occupied by troops of the United Nations.

Indicating the President wishes an early start made on this task, the White House announced Lehman will resign as New York Governor about Dec. 3. His term would normally expire Jan. 1. He did not seek re-election.

In an interview at his New York home, the 64-year-old governor said that as he visualizes the problem of his new post, "it will extend away beyond the end of the war—this rebuilding of countries occupied and destroyed."

"The President's program of relief and rehabilitation is another step which will make it possible for the United States, in association with the other United Nations, to render an immediate and effective further contribution to the winning of the war and to the solution of postwar problems," he added.

The problems facing him "are all very new," and his first job will be to set up an organization in Washington, Lehman said.

The appointment implements an announcement made by the White House a week ago that no one in territory occupied by American troops will be allowed to go hungry if it is humanly possible to supply food.

The same announcement told of an order that not only food and clothing but arms and ammunition as well, be supplied to the people of north Africa. The whole project is considered to have a powerful propaganda appeal for the French and the people of other countries which have been conquered and occupied by Nazi troops.

Arts and Crafts Hear Art Lectures

First monthly meeting of the Vancouver Island Arts and Crafts Society held Friday at the headquarters, Cook and Fort, was well attended and was presided over by the president, John Kyle.

Two addresses were given, one by the president on "Then Mond Collection of Italian Art," and the second by J. W. Laing on "Portraiture."

Two beautiful folio sized volumes, bound in white vellum tooled with gold, containing the history of the pictures collected by Dr. Ludwig Mond, were shown. A portfolio accompanied the books containing reproductions of the works of Bellini, Palma Vecchio, Raphael, Titian, Botticelli, Ghirlandajo, Leonardo de Vinci, Luni, Sodoma, Genga and many other representative artists.

Mr. Kyle selected a group from these pictures and by the aid of lantern slides he explained their chief characteristics, the method adopted by the artists to compose their pictures and to study the details.

The volumes, together with the portfolio, have been presented to Victoria Public Library by Mrs. Norman Yarrow, and those who wish to study Italian art will find the subject excellently treated by an undoubted authority, Dr. Richter.

Mr. Laing spoke about portraiture and illustrated his remarks from examples displayed on the walls. These included portraits by British artists who painted previous to the importation of foreign artists like Van Dyke, Holbein and other foreign artists.

He referred to the largest order for portraits ever given to any one artist in the world.

This was given to a Scottish artist who was commissioned to paint all the Scottish kings from the earliest times to the present. Examples of the works of Hogarth, Reynolds, Gainsborough, Reynolds and many others were exhibited.

Next meeting in December will be in the form of a social evening.

GARDEN CITY

Garden City United Women's Association met at the church Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. A. P. Fryatt presiding. Secretarial reports were presented by Mrs. R. Young. Report of the visiting committee was presented by Mrs. A. E. Ricalton. Arrangements were made for a sale of work.

An address was given by Mrs. C. Evans depicting early pioneer life and conditions in northern Saskatchewan. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. R. Young, Carey Road.

These figures are good," he

Imperial Bank Has New High Assets

Imperial Bank of Canada financial statement for the year ended Oct. 31, 1942, shows profits of \$836,149, a reduction of about \$36,000 after providing for Dominion taxes higher by \$48,000 over the year before. Total assets are substantially increased, standing at \$243,562,471, compared with \$206,587,280 a year ago.

The increase in total assets is in the highly liquid assets, currency or its equivalent, and in holdings of Dominion and provincial securities maturing in less than two years. Current loans at \$75,468,649 are lower than last year by \$4,130,654, a condition ascribed to the lateness of west coast harvests and consequent retarded demand for grain loans.

With the reduction in dividend rate common to the banks, the requirement under this head by Imperial in the year under review was \$665,000, compared with \$700,000 formerly. The amount written off bank premises is the same as formerly, \$150,000, and the balance carried to profit and loss is \$21,149, compared with \$22,191 a year ago. The balance forward now is \$719,991, compared with \$698,842.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES

The largest increase in assets is in government securities maturing in less than two years, this item now standing at \$68,679,342, compared with \$28,819,396 a year ago. Similar securities maturing in more than two years, at \$38,283,298, are lower than last year by \$3,035,838. Call loans and municipal loans also are reduced somewhat.

There is a great increase in deposits. Deposits not bearing interest now total \$82,122,050, an increase of more than \$26,000,000, while deposits bearing interest are up nearly \$6,000,000 to \$100,378,231. Provincial deposits are up about \$5,000,000, and Dominion deposits up about \$1,000,000. Total deposits have grown to \$179,929,435 a year ago. Total liabilities other than to shareholders are now \$224,160,321, compared with \$187,430,362 formerly.

With the substantial increase in government securities and similar assets, the liquidity of bank is enhanced over the previous year. The ratio of liquid assets to total liabilities to the public is now 70 per cent, compared with approximately 60 per cent a year ago.

Annual meeting of shareholders has been called for Nov. 25.

COLORWOOD

Mrs. Ross Palmer of Comox showed moving pictures in technicolor Wednesday afternoon in Colwood Hall at the monthly meeting of the Colwood Women's Institute. In addition to the government film, "People's War," others showed Dieppe and harvesting in the Peace River Country. For the children comics were shown.

Rev. Greenhalgh, vicar of St. John's Church, will open the sale of work next Wednesday at 3 in Colwood Hall. The stalls will display fancywork, home cooking and Christmas novelties and afternoon tea will be served. The sale will be under the auspices of St. John's Women's Auxiliary.

Of 160,000 licensed American physicians, only about 4½ per cent are women.

Dimout in Homes Good Says Observer

Householders apparently have observed the dimout regulations faithfully and although a few naked lights have been noted, it is doubtful whether they contributed significantly to the general illumination of Victoria in the dimout, Dr. C. S. Beals, of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, Saanich, said today in a report to the Victoria A.R.P. service.

Dr. Beals, who observed the dimout from vantage points around Victoria and from the sea, said the first thing to strike the eye was a fair amount of low lying brightly illuminated mist which caused a conspicuous sky glow.

"It was, however, quite impossible to say whether any appreciable part of the sky glow was due to the city lights since the moon was nearing its full and gave a brilliant general illumination," he said. "As a matter of fact, apart from the obvious desirability for continuity of policy, a dimout for the purpose of protecting ships at sea is relatively ineffective on a bright moonlight night."

Dr. Beals said that until downtown cluster lights have been shaded, the first step to an effective dimout has not been taken. "On the basis of last night's observations, I would venture to suggest that while certain obvious measures should immediately be taken to shade the city street lights, any further tests of the dimout from the sea or air be delayed till the dark of the moon when conditions would make possible a really effective test," he concluded.

First Photo of Nova Taken by Amateur

PASADENA, Cal.—A check has revealed that the first photographic record of Nova Puppi obtained at the Mt. Wilson Observatory and probably in the entire continent was secured not by an astronomer but by Anthony Wausnock, who acts as steward at the "Monastery" where the scientists live while working with the telescopes on Mt. Wilson. The photograph was taken on the morning of Tuesday,

Nov. 10, from 4.10 to 4.35 a.m. P.W.T.

Mr. Wausnock has made it his hobby to photograph the lights of the cities below Mt. Wilson. By accident the photograph taken on the morning of Nov. 19 happened to include the nova, which appears as a bright streak on the upper left hand corner of the plate. (The stars show as streaks since they were moving across the sky during the 30 minutes the plate was exposed.) The second brightest star in the sky, Canopus, shows as a bright streak near the centre of the picture. A comparison of the two streaks indicates that Nova Puppi looked nearly as bright as Canopus when the exposure was made.

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Versatiles Entertain Otter Point Troops

Playing to a crowded hall the Versatiles Concert Party entertained the men at Otter Point Friday.

Highlight of the program was the accordion playing of Miss Margaret Bierman.

Another favorite was Miss Grace Adams, whose beautiful voice was heard to advantage in the waltz song from the "Merry Widow" and "White Christmas." Others in the party were Doug Park, Alf Adams, Jim Matheson, Eva Milne, Dorothy Finn, Sid Page, Bert Lashmar, Bert Cartwright, George Todd, Les Dash, Ralph Cruickshanks and W. Murtagroyd.

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CARRY AND SAVE

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

"VICTORIA fans are seeing as fine hockey as is being played anywhere in Canada." That was the reaction of Doug Grimston, New Westminster, president of the British Columbia Amateur Hockey Association, after watching the Army-Navy Island League battle at the Arena Friday night. The provincial head was greatly enthused over the brand of play and indicated he would be making further trips to the city to be a spectator.

And you fans who have been hollering about the work of the referees in the games, here is something to think over. "The clubs on the island are lucky to have two officials (Lloyd Camyre and Ed Battell) of such ability to handle their games," Grimston remarked. "The only thing I noticed out of order was possibly a little too much high sticking, but that could easily be understood in view of the stiff checking adopted by the members of both clubs."

We questioned Grimston about the Dave McKay case, but he had nothing to say, except "that there was nothing new." He added to his remark by declaring Nanaimo would have to get the Chicago Black Hawks to renounce all claims on the big defenceman before being successful in their efforts to get him back in the line-up. "However, there is one thing I will say, Nanaimo can forget about any idea of trying to force the issue by playing McKay without first getting permission. They might put me on the spot but they in turn would

find themselves in a far worse predicament."

Looking back over Friday's game we get the reaction the Navy pulled the same act on the Army as they met up with themselves in the first meeting. By that we mean the bluejackets just checked the soldiers to death. Army went into that first game determined to win at all costs. The same held true for the Navy Friday. Just imagine what will happen when the clubs clash in the "rubber" game in January. That is one fracas you fans want to put down in the books as a "must see."

Analyzing the Army play one cannot help but place a lot of the blame for their defeat at the hands of the defence. The soldiers were not clearing the puck in their usual manner and goalie Curry looked weak on several shots that hit the help. But with the injured Julian Sawchuk back in the game within a week or so that Army defence is certain to tighten up. The Navy forwards showed a lot of improvement over the last time out, especially the number one line of Strongman, Petrie and Brown.

Tonight Nanaimo Clippers make another local appearance with the Army providing the opposition. Last Monday the Clippers showed a world of improvement to whip the Victoria Machinery Depot and should provide the soldiers with plenty of competition. But we figure the Army to have too potent an offensive for the Nanaimo club to stand up under.

British Racing News

Golden Boy Surprises

By ALLAN NICKLESON
LONDON (CP)—A crowd of 30,000—thousands more than saw the Derby this summer—watched a horse which once was almost destroyed after being strangled on barbed wire pound through to victory in the substitute November Handicap at Pontefract—last big race of the season.

The horse was four-year-old Golden Boy, purchased for \$325. He carried a 14-pound penalty after a recent success, and defeated a 33 to 1 shot, Pennyrupe, by half a length in a driving finish. The winner started at odds of 10 to 1 and the race, replacing that normally run at Manchester and confined to horses trained in the north of England, excited more speculation than any handicap this season.

Golden Boy nearly lost a hind leg last year when he bolted from a girl groom leading him. He attempted to jump some barbed wire and lay hooked across it for half an hour. When disentangled, among other injuries, one of his legs was all but severed.

THIRD STRAIGHT WIN

Careful nursing brought its reward when the animal improved with every gallop this season. The November was his third successive handicap victory and was hailed as the greatest setback form-book followers have experienced in many years.

Pennyrupe, a three-year-old, was offered for sale a few days before the race and withdrawn from the bidding when no one would offer more than \$900. The favorite, Staplegrave, carrying 22 pounds less than the winner, ran third.

The third Cesarewitch was won by four-year-old Winawar over a two-mile course at the Curragh, Dublin. Owned by R. H. Gordon, Winawar finished three lengths ahead of Point D'Atout, with the steeplechaser Mountain Loch third. Winning time for the 12-hour event was 3:45.45 in sticky going and the winner started at odds of 33 to 1.

It was the first success of the season for Winawar and brought a purse of \$1,625 to the owner. The horse had an unprofitable

1941 season and his sole success in two-year-old campaigning was a six-furlong maiden dash.

Ascot race track, scene of peacetime pageantry and display of wealth, may reopen next season. Owned by the King, the track has been closed since 1939 and royal permission would have to be obtained to open it.

Ascot's name arose because of transport difficulties. Salisbury, only course available most of the season to horses trained in the south of England, proved inaccessible to many of them.

In peacetime, Ascot was the most expensively maintained race course in the world. All profits went back to keep up its high standards. Normally, prize money for the four-day meet totaled roughly \$180,000 and few races were worth less than \$6,500.

Vancouver Reps Score One-sided Rugby Win

VANCOUVER (CP)—Vancouver Reps smashed out a 44 to 0 victory over Varsity at Brockton Point oval here Saturday in the first game of the 1942-43 series for the historic McKechnie Cup, now held by Vancouver Reps.

Vancouver Reps scored 10 tries and four of these were converted by Norm Constantine, Rowing Club forward, who also kicked two penalty goals for a total of 14 points.

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Naval College in Smart Comeback To Capture Rugby

Coming from behind with a great second-half rally, Naval College, whipped the R.A.F. 15 to 11 in Saturday's Barnard Cup rugby match. Producing a lot of smart three-quarter runs and smart dribbling, the fixture was a real crowd pleaser.

Result left the Army and Naval College tied for first place, although the latter have played one more match.

The young naval cadets opened the scoring early in the first half, Chapman winding up a three-quarter dash with a major score. The kick failed. Still holding the edge, the Naval College went ahead 6 to 0, Gillespie running 25 yards for a try. For the second time the kick for extra points was wide.

With the opening of the second half the R.A.F. took command and Lant went over for their first try. Snow split the posts and the score was 6 to 5. Hemming the students in their own half, the R.A.F. added three more points, Barrett dropping on a loose ball for a try. Keeping their attack working smoothly, the R.A.F. gained an 11 to 6 margin, Ward scoring.

Five points down, the Naval College returned on the attack with Corbus finally plunging across the line after a lot of mad scrambling around the R.A.F. goal. Converting a penalty-kick for picking out of the scrum, Gibbs gave the Naval College a 12 to 11 margin. Gibbs was responsible for the College's last try to make the final count 15 to 11.

In an exhibition game, the Naval College's second fifteen defeated Brentwood College 11-5.

Minor Soccer Games

A freak goal from the heel of Reg. Clarkson, in the second half, gave St. Louis College a narrow 1 to 0 win over Gorge Aces in an under-18 soccer match at Heywood Avenue, Sunday.

Aces held most of the play, and the short-handed college team had few scoring chances. On one of their few sorties, Clarkson deflected a goal-bound ball with the back of his foot to catch the goalie out of position.

In a juvenile game Saturday morning, St. Louis College and V's battled to a 1 to 1 draw. In another Saturday game Maple Leafs trimmed Royals 3 to 1.

Organize Grid Loop

Victoria Canadian Football League will meet tonight at 7:30 in St. Louis College for the purpose of forming a six-man Canadian football league in the city.

Present plans point to Navy, Army and O.T.C. playing in the senior division, while V.H.S. Alumni, St. Louis College, V.M.D. Blue Devils and Saanich Warriors play in the junior section.

All teams are asked to have delegates at the meeting tonight.

Carpet Bowling

Results of matches in the Victoria Carpet Bowling League follow:

Britannia Horseshoes won by default from S.O.E. Repulse; St. Albans Rangers 23, Britannia Royals 16; Britannia Ramblers 16, Britannia Stars 26; Britannia Remnants 17, St. Albans Rovers 15; St. Albans Rustlers 21, Britannia Maple Leafs 9.

Canadian Grid Final Set

Beaches Set Stage

Dave Ferris is not the healthiest fellow in the world today, but he will receive no convalescent cards from Toronto Oakwood Indians.

Dave was operated on Saturday night for stomach ulcers. Unfortunately for Indians, however, he was healthy enough in the afternoon to do a little "operating" on his own behalf.

The veteran Toronto Balmy Beach line-man fell on a skidding pigskin behind the Indian goal-line in the fading minutes of a crucial Ontario Rugby Football Union contest. His touchdown gave Beaches an 11 to 6 victory and advanced them into sudden-death O.R.F.U. playdowns against R.C.A.F. Hurricanes Wednesday afternoon in Toronto.

Dave's touchdown also broke the hearts of the battling Indians, some 5,000 spectators and two other O.R.F.U. teams. It automatically eliminated Hamilton Wildcats and Toronto Navy, both of whom depended upon an Indian victory for a playoff shot. Hurricanes had already clinched one playoff berth, but they didn't let down against Kitchener-Waterloo Panthers at Kitchener in Saturday's third O.R.F.U. game. "Pat" L. Eddie Thompson personally converted three of his

In Goal for Nanaimo



VERN KNEESHAW

who will be between the pipes for Nanaimo Clippers when they battle the league-leading Army in tonight's hockey game at the Wyllows Arena. A former member of the Calgary Stampedeers, Kneeshaw has turned in some smart exhibitions for the Clippers. Tonight's start at 9:30 half an hour later than usual in order to give the Nanaimo club more time to make the trip south.

Season's Soccer Upset

Army Defeats R.A.F.

Intercity Cup Rugby Play Opens Dec. 12

Officials of the British Columbia Rugby Union Sunday scouted what they termed prospects for the best intercity games in years as they set dates for McKechnie Cup play at a meeting here.

Victoria reps this year will field many stars who are now in the services, and Vancouver and Varsity are also expected to put up strong teams.

The meeting decided to attempt to arrange home-and-home games between the R.C.A.F. at Boundary Bay and the R.A.F. at Patricia Bay. The Canadian team boasts several New Zealand stars, and Patricia Bay has several outstanding British players.

O. J. Moscrip, president of the Vancouver Rugby Union, was named to succeed Leslie A. Pope, Vancouver, who has resigned as president, and Jack Patterson, secretary of the Vancouver Rugby Union, to succeed George "Tiger" Role, as secretary.

Dates set for cup games follow: Victoria at Varsity, Dec. 12 (tentative); Vancouver at Victoria, Dec. 26; Varsity at Victoria, Jan. 9; Victoria at Vancouver, Jan. 23, and Vancouver vs. Varsity, Feb. 6.

Len Harvey Retires

LONDON (CP)—After a ring career of 23 years, P.O. Len Harvey has retired as undefeated boxing champion of Britain and the British Empire. He has held the titles since 1935.

The only time he was knocked out was in his last fight, June 20, when he lost his British and Empire light heavyweight titles to the up-and-coming Freddie Mills in a bout in which the boxing board of control ruled his heavy-weight crowns were not at stake.

Announcing his decision, Harvey, who is 35, said he intended to write a book of reminiscences on his career of 414 fights, of which he lost only 10. He now is a physical training instructor in the R.A.F.

PLAY TO DRAW

V.M.D. and Navy, playing before a small turnout, turned in a slow, ragged exhibition with the shipyarders displaying their poorest form this season. On the other hand the bluejackets showed a lot of improvement and had victory within their grasp until three minutes from time.

Navy grabbed a 1 to 0 lead at the 15-minute stage; Alex Ross finding the net during an all-out Navy offensive against the V.M.D. net. The half ended with no further scoring.

V.M.D. did a lot of player switching as the second half opened in an effort to inject some life into their attack. The league leaders finally netted the tying goal, George Payne being responsible. Navy moved one goal up for the second time, Thompson scoring from a penalty awarded against Douglas. Sensing defeat, the V.M.D. swept on the attack and with three minutes to go Alvin Parks kicked through the equalizer.

Three-way Deadlock for Major Hockey Leadership

Army Cagers Win Over Kayvees in Slow Exhibition

There's something missing in the Army basketball machine and many of the boys would like to know what it is so it can be replaced. At the Sports Centre, Saturday evening, the soldiers, sporting extra height, experience and weight, managed to beat the Kayvees by only 13 points in the senior A men's attraction. The win left them in second place, two points back of the league-leading R.C.A.F. squad. Score was 29 to 16.

Kayvees, who jumped from intermediate A to play senior, should have been able to match the star-studded soldier brigade in speed only. But the kids got in there and played really smart ball and with a little more accuracy around the hoop would have given their opponents much more about which to worry.

Even with such men as Art Chapman, Doug Peden and Ritchie Nicol, the winners did not play good ball. After the first few minutes the game got scrumbly with more than enough hard checking and individual plays.

At the half the losers were well in the running, trailing by only five points. However, in the second half, their shooting went haywire and Army outscored them 13 to 5.

Chapman led the soldier scorers with 11 points, all one handers. Just out of hospital, Ritchie Nicol took second spot with seven. Buzz Long and Red Loringer led Kayvees, each with five points. Ranson with four and Caines with two finished their scoring.

Paced by brothers Bud and Ralph Mitchell, West Road had little trouble in defeating V.M.D. 38 to 24 in a senior B men's game. Bud scored 11, Ralph 13 points.

In the opener, Wally Yeamans' Unity showed too much experience for Bill Cull's Kandy Kids and handily beat them, 22 to 9.

Gordie Drillon Back In Ice Scoring Lead

Gordie Drillon recaptured the lead among National Hockey League scorers when he scored twice for Montreal Canadiens against Chicago Black Hawks Sunday night.

Toronto Maple Leafs scored 14 goals in week-end games and as a result, two Leafers were showing among the leaders. Sweeney Schriner moved into a three-way tie for second place with Lynn Patrick and Phil Watson of Rangers.

Leaders follow:

Player	Team	G	A	Pts
Drillon	Canadiens	2	7	14
Schriner	Maple Leafs	1	8	12
Patrick	Rangers	1	8	12
Watson	Rangers	1	8	12
Bentley	Chicago	1	9	12
O'Connor	Canadiens	2	9	12
Bruneau	Detroit	1	9	11
Hextall	Rangers	1	4	11
Apps	Toronto	1	8	11

North Shore Boost Lead in Soccer Loop

VANCOUVER (CP)—North Shore United increased their lead over Boeings in the Pacific Coast Soccer League to four points Saturday by shutting out St. Andrews 3 to 0.

The Saints outplayed Uniteds during the first 45 minutes of the game, but wilted after half time. All three goals were scored in the last half, Trevor Harvey getting two and Dennis Rogers the third.

Harvey scored his first goal 10 minutes after the interval when he took a rebound from Jimmy Spencer's shot and smashed the ball into the top of the net out of reach of goalie Bob Newbold.

Two minutes later Bill Grieg blocked another shot by Spencer but was unable to clear before Rogers came in to score.

Harvey's second counter came three minutes from time when Erling Storrness headed the ball right to his feet in front of the St. Andrews goal.

Gorge Vale Results

In the men's medal round at the Gorge Vale Golf Club Sunday, A. Wright was the winner with a net score of 63. Ernie Brachet was runner-up with 71 and A. Clarke third with 72. Three couples, Mrs. C. Hulke and G. E. Davies, Mrs. R. Fanthorpe and W. E. Cook and Mrs. D. R. Hurdle and W. G. Frampton, tied for first place in the two-ball mixed foursomes with net scores of 76 1/2.

Boston Whips Toronto With Much Scoring

Toronto 8, Canadiens 0.
Boston 7, Toronto 6.
Canadiens 3, Chicago 3.
Rangers 4, Detroit 4.

The National Hockey League's decision to cancel overtime for the war's duration seems to have started an epidemic of tie games. Two of four week-end contests ended that way, creating a triple tie for first place and a little more confusion in a season that already has produced some dizzy happenings.

Toronto Maple Leafs gained temporary command by a shocking 8 to 0 victory over Montreal Canadiens in Saturday's only game; but Chicago Black Hawks and Detroit Red Wings drew level Sunday. Wings battled to a 4 to 4 stalemate against New York Rangers and Hawks held on for a 3 to 3 tie against Canadiens.

Leafs visited Boston for Sunday's third game and dropped a 7 to 6 verdict after a seesaw struggle. Boston's victory was their fourth straight and shoved them into fourth place ahead of Canadiens and Rangers. Art Jackson provided the feature with three goals for Bruins. Herbie Cain of Boston and two Toronto players, Syl Apps and Bud Polle, connected twice.

Leafs were more potent in their Saturday engagement against Canadiens, providing Turk Broda with their 8 to 0 triumph. Every Leaf player except Broda, Jack McLean and Rhys Thomson participated in the scoring spree.

SNAP LOSING STREAK

Canadiens fared better against Chicago Sunday, unloading a three-goal drive in the last period to tie Hawks 3 to 3 and snap a four-game losing streak. Gordie Drillon scored the first two Montreal goals. Robert (Red) Hamill tallied one of the Chicago goals, his eighth of the season.

Bryan Hextall drove home his second goal with 41 seconds remaining to earn Rangers their 4 to 4 tie with Detroit, but that was overlooked in a flurry of extracurricular activity. Johnny Mowers, Detroit goalie, was badly cut in the first period when a shot by Lynn Patrick struck his

HOCKEY STANDINGS

N.H.L.	W.	L.	D.	G.	Pts.
Detroit	4	2	2	24	26
Chicago	4	2	2	24	16
Toronto	3	3	0	43	16
Boston	3	3	0	43	16
Canadiens	3	4	1	38	7
Rangers	3	4	1	38	7

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TORONTO-CANADIENS
First period—1. Toronto, Schriner (Taylor) 11:04; 2. Toronto, Stewart (McDonald) 15:16. Penalties: Benichou, 20.
Second period—1. Toronto, Apps (Copp) 18:47. Penalties: McDonald, Drillon, 18:47. (minor penalty shot taken by Richard Taylor) 3:00; 6. Toronto, Polle (Stewart, McLean) 4:17; 7. Toronto, Schriner (Copp, Carr) 8:50; 8. Toronto, Hill (McDonald, Apps) 10:40. No penalties.

TORONTO-BOSTON
First period—1. Boston, Schmidt (Gallagher, Clapper) 10:12; 2. Boston, Cain (H. Jackson, Crawford) 11:31; 3. Toronto, Apps (Hill) 12:26; 4. Toronto, Davidson (Apps, Hill) 19:28. Penalties: Tollett, Hill, Thomson, H. Jackson (10-minute misconduct), 10:40; 5. Toronto, Polle (Stewart, Goldup) 2:15; 6. Toronto, Hamill (Schriner) 4:01; 7. Boston, Cain (H. Jackson) 8:48; 8. Boston, A. Jackson (Copp, Carr) 9:01; 10. Toronto, Apps (Copp, Carr) 10:40; 11. Toronto, Polle (Goldup, Hamill) 18:56. Penalties: Thomson, H. Jackson.

RANGERS-DETROIT
First period—1. Detroit, Orsopp (Abel) 10:44; 2. New York, Cameron (Bell, Macey) 15:16. Penalties: Benichou, 20.
Second period—1. Detroit, Brunetta (Orlando) 11:47; 2. Detroit, Carr (Goldup, Hill) 12:07. Penalties: Myles, Orlando, P. Watson, Stewart.

CHICAGO-CANADIENS
First period—1. Chicago, Purpur (Dahlstrom) 1:48. Penalties: Blake, Nicholls, March.
Second period—1. Chicago, Allen (Cahoon, Roberts) 12:10. Penalties: Allen (Cahoon) 2:17; 2. Montreal, Drillon (O'Connor, Blake) 4:00; 3. Montreal, Drillon (Blake, Graboski) 8:40; 4. Montreal, Delisle (Graboski, Benoit) 18:41. Penalties: Tuten, Lamoureux.

Walt Gravin Scores Hole in One at Uplands
Walter Gravin, popular professional at the Uplands Golf Club, scored a hole in one while playing over his home links Sunday. Gravin sank his tee shot on the 135-yard 16th hole. He turned in a one under par 69 and was playing with Bob Morrison, shot by Lynn Patrick struck his



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BREATH-taking ACTION with Edward G. Robinson, intense drama with Charles Laughton, exciting romance with Charles Boyer, Rita Hayworth, Ginger Rogers and Henry Fonda, and heart-warming humor and music with Paul Robeson, Ethel Waters and "Rochester" in 20th Century-Fox's precedent-shattering "Tales of Manhattan," a glimpse of which is given above. The film opens at the Capitol Theatre today.

Hail 'Go West' As 'Oomph' Show

A custard pie is a better handstopper than a blazing bullet!! Upon that novel premise, Columbia is said to have hung one of the most delightful westerns ever filmed, "Go West, Young Lady," which packs mirth, music, melodrama and oomph into a motion picture entirely new and novel. Penny Singleton, Glenn Ford and Ann Miller top the featured cast of the comedy, which opens tomorrow at the Dominion Theatre.

Miss Singleton takes a brief sabbatical from her popular appearances as "Blondie," to appear in "Go West, Young Lady" as the lovely young heroine who tosses off a pie or a song with facile abandon, who handles a six-gun or a dance routine with delightful ease.

From all of which it may be gathered that "Go West, Young Lady" is slightly "different."

Humphrey Bogart In Cadet Film

"All Through the Night," which will have its showing at the Cadet Theatre today, stars Humphrey Bogart, whose recent hit performance in "The Maltese Falcon" and "High Sierra" have put him in the very front ranks of popular film stars.

For the first time since censorship decreed that the screen should glorify no criminal at the expense of officers of the law, cops are villains in this picture.

'This Above All' Comes to Atlas

The gripping story of a man and a girl groping for love in a world where only the touch of their lips seemed real is unfolded by stars Tyrone Power and Joan Fontaine in Darryl F. Zanuck's picture of Eric Knight's great novel, "This Above All," which is now at the Atlas Theatre.

Emphasizing home morale instead of war heroism, it is a war picture with never a battle scene in it. And yet every piece of its footage, even its essential love story, is dedicated to the present

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DOMINION — "Flight Lieutenant," starring Pat O'Brien.

OAK BAY AND PLAZA — "Flying Tigers," starring John Wayne and Anna Lee.

RIO — "Madeline Carroll and Herbert Marshall in 'I Was a Spy'."

YORK — Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy in "Bitter Sweet."

struggle — the war is not lost sight of for a minute, though it is never shown.

'I Was a Spy' Featured at Rio

"I Was a Spy," the current production at the Rio Theatre, starring Madeleine Carroll with Herbert Marshall, and featuring also Conrad Veidt, is Gaumont's adaptation of the famous memoirs of Martha McKenna, famed secret agent for the Allied forces during the last World War.

Miss Carroll portrays the role played by Mrs. McKenna in actuality. Herbert Marshall is cast as a daring Allied agent, her partner in espionage, and Conrad Veidt plays a German officer. Other prominent members of the cast are Gerald Du Maurier, Edmund Gwynn, Donald Calthrop, Eva Moore, Nigel Bruce, May Agate, Maritza Hunt, George Merritt and Anthony Bushell.

'Manhattan Tales' Shown at Capitol

"Tales of Manhattan" is a cinema achievement of rare distinction. It has enough stars and thrills and suspense and laughter for 10 pictures. It is fabulous entertainment. Heretofore it was enough to say Charles Boyer and Rita Hayworth in a playlet. But now 20th Century-Fox comes along with an unbelievably generous film that is calculated to spoil film fans for some time to come.

All of these are in the picture at the Capitol Theatre—Boyer and Miss Hayworth, Ginger Rogers, Henry Fonda, Charles Laughton, Edward G. Robinson, Paul Robeson, Ethel Waters, Rochester and many more.

'Flying Tigers,' Oak Bay, Plaza

The Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres' current fare, "Flying Tigers," which opens today, is a powerful, timely and intensely dramatic photoplay presenting most vividly the heroic exploits of the volunteer group in defending the Burma Road.

Any new appearance of John Wayne is greeted by enthusiasm and his present role is tailor-made for his capabilities. As Jim Gordon, earnest and since young squadron leader of the specu-

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Canadian Prisoners of War Relatives' Association will hold their monthly meeting at 3 Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. H. Morse Rosser, 1152 Transit Road, Oak Bay. Mothers

and wives of soldiers who this week were announced as having been taken prisoner when Hong Kong fell will be invited to attend. Members of the Victoria and District Chrysanthemum Society

have given \$250 to the Queen Alexandra Solarium from the proceeds of the show. Cabbages should be stored upside down so that moisture will not rot them.

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H. W. Davey Named Head of Liberals

H. W. Davey has been nominated president of the Victoria Liberal Association and is expected to take office at the annual meeting in Liberal headquarters next Monday at 8.

C. M. Parrott and G. F. Bullock have been nominated for the office of vice-president, and E. E. Heath and E. C. Pollock for the treasurer's office.

Arthur H. Cox has been nominated as secretary.

Dimmed Out Churches Draw Good Crowds

With blinds drawn and lights dimmed, Victoria churches Sunday night for the first service of the dimout attracted slightly smaller than average congregations.

Inspector A. H. Bishop, Victoria A.R.P. controller, said today that while some churches were sufficiently dimmed out, others would have to take further steps to stop lights showing skywards.

Dean S. H. Elliott said the Christ Church Cathedral Sunday evening service was held under no great difficulty. The church lights have frosted glass and no glare shows through the stained glass windows of the church. The congregation was a good size, he said.

Dr. A. E. Whitehouse said stained glass windows at Metropolitan Church effectively dimmed out the church and the church did not have a smaller congregation.

At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, however, some disappointment was expressed in the size of the congregation Sunday evening. Church gallery lights were not turned on and blinds were pulled all over the church.

Inspector Bishop said he would continue inspection of church lighting at night services during the week and next Sunday evening.

Only one church, First Church of Christ, Scientist, has supplemented an afternoon for the Sunday evening service because of the dimout.

Coal Retailing Slowed By Shortage at Mines

Coal dealers, from one to two months behind in orders, have been slowed up in their coal distribution during the past 10 days by a cutting off of deliveries from island mines, a Victoria retailer said today.

With no stocks on hand the situation looks bad, he said. He pointed out that coal nowadays never touches the ground, but is delivered directly from scows or railway cars to basements of consumers.

He said dealers had been relying on island coal up until now, but today they are glad to get any kind of coal. Island coal

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Fire Guts Interior Of U-Drive Office



Fire of undetermined origin gutted the interior of Hill's U-Drive, 718 View, in a few minutes, Saturday night, causing unestimated damage to the building, and destroying \$800 in fixtures.

Victoria Fire Department received the call at 10:50, and when firemen arrived found the U-Drive office in flames, from the front door to the storeroom in the rear.

They were not able to get in the building until after 11, and when they did found almost everything inside destroyed. A few valuable motor records were salvaged.

Stopped before it burst through the walls of the U-Drive office, the fire caused only smoke damage to the Home Cleaners and Tommy Tucker's restaurant, situated on either side.

The building is owned by Ernest Hill, while the U-Drive is under the ownership of William Sylvester, and the management of Stanley F. Scurrah.

Word has been received of the promotion in England of Capt. J. R. C. Hewett to the rank of major. He has been overseas two years with a Canadian Survey Regiment. Before the war he was successor to the firm of Musgrave, White & Moffet, land surveyors, and was secretary of the Corporation of British Columbia Land Surveyors for some time.

Mrs. Hewett and their children, Heather and Barry, reside at 552 Falkland Road.

cannot begin to take care of the demand now, he said.

If shipments should suddenly be cut off, he said, there would be nothing to keep citizens warm.

He said, however, the situation would have been considerably worse had householders failed to stock up coal supplies for winter during the summer.

Early Mailing Distributes Load

"We shall be working 24 hours a day for approximately a week before Christmas," said G. H. Gardiner, postmaster, explaining that the temporary staff only will be put on three eight-hour shifts. The general staff may have to work overtime to accommodate the rush but Mr. Gardiner hopes to alleviate this by co-operation of the public in mailing earlier than ever this year.

Another reason for the advisability of posting parcels in the first or second week of December is the shortage of trucks available for delivery. Usually between 30 to 40 vehicles are used, but Mr. Gardiner anticipates fewer this year, and will spread the distribution of Christmas parcels over a longer period.

"All cities are in the same predicament," he said. "We can only urge the people themselves to assist by addressing parcels properly, tying them firmly, and using common-sense in how they package breakables. Then, if they are mailed in good time, there is no reason deliveries this year cannot be accomplished as promptly and efficiently as heretofore."

November this year has not been much busier than the same month in 1941, and this is attributed to the fact that October mails for overseas were considerably heavier. This would indicate the public is recognizing the need for early mailing, Mr. Gardiner said, expressing the hope that the same consideration will be given local deliveries.

Crown Addresses Hall Pants' Jury

J. B. Clearhue, K.C., crown prosecutor with W. C. Moresby, K.C., completed his address to the jury in the conspiracy to defraud trial of George H. Hall, managing director of Hall and Co. Ltd. and L. J. Simmons, former B.C. Police quartermaster, shortly before 1 today.

This afternoon defence counsel, P. J. Simmet for Simmons and Stuart Henderson for Hall, are being heard. Indications were the judge would charge the jury Tuesday morning. Jurors not serving on the case were excused until 10:30 Wednesday morning.

Clearhue today emphasized the importance of the jury considering only the sworn evidence that had been presented. He referred specifically to the unsworn statement of Hall repeated by H. McL. Francis, accountant, in explanation of the manner in which Hall had handled a cheque for \$2,400 from the government for 200 pairs of police breeches. Hall, Francis said, had told him he had secured advance financing for the purchase of material for the breeches and had opened a suspense account, not knowing just how to treat the money.

That statement by Hall, Clearhue contended, was simply an excuse.

He cited the charge of conspiring to defraud and said the fraud had arisen from the false invoice submitted for the breeches.

USED OWN ACCOUNT
Counsel said the accused Hall had only a third interest in the firm of which he is managing director and that he should have put any cheque from the government into the company's account, not his own.

He traced the procedure through which the voucher passed for the breeches, declaring Simmons had no right to sign T. W. S. Parsons' name to the document.

Clearhue noted Simmons had, according to the evidence, ordered 200 pairs of breeches taken from a locked room in the stores office and placed with the regular stores after the transaction.

He traced letters from the comptroller-general to Hall and the eventual return to the government of the \$2,400. Counsel noted the delay and remarked on the fact the \$2,400 returned had been charged against G. H. Hall's salary account.

Clearhue cited evidence by George Powell that breeches could not be made for \$12 a pair, said that the suggestion the deal was financed by the government was unreasonable and said the acts of Simmons did not support the explanation of Hall.

He conceded the fact Hall had made his books readily available for inspection by Francis, but noted the suspense account was shown only on a loose leaf and that it had been closed out at Oct. 31, while the money had not been refunded until February.

Cycles Must Comply With Dimout Rules
Chief of Police J. A. McLellan warned cyclists today they must comply with the dimout regulations as rigidly as motorists, adding that those failing to do so would be prosecuted.

Chief McLellan stated that cyclists riding at night must throw the rays down on the road immediately in front of the vehicle. Many cyclists, he said, had not dimmed their lights in compliance with regulations.

Regulations governing bicycle riding on sidewalks and halting at stop signs will also be stringently enforced, the chief said.

TOWN TOPICS

St. Albans' social club will hold a 500 card party Wednesday at 8 in the church hall.

Victoria branch of the Canadian Pensioners' Association will meet Friday at 7:30 at 225 Pemberton Building.

Oak Bay C.C.F. Club will hold a panel discussion on Postwar America Thursday night at 8 at 857 Pandora Avenue.

Victoria Super Service reported to police today that an auto, parked at the rear of their garage overnight, had been jacked up and a tire, rim and a generator stolen.

Dr. Clem Davies, former minister of the City Temple and now an evangelist in Los Angeles, was in the city for a few hours Saturday en route to Vancouver, where he spoke on Sunday.

Cedar Hill P.T.A. will meet Wednesday at 8. The executive will meet at 7:30. Reports of the recent fair and other business will be discussed. Miss Hannerson will speak on "Lighting in the Home."

Jack Hiscok, 845 Princess Avenue, reported lost Sunday night while hunting near Goldstream, turned up safe and unhurt in Sooke this morning, according to a B.C. Police report.

A search party was out all night looking for Hiscok, who found his own way out of the bush.

No one was injured but cars driven by Brian Walker, 540 Niagara Street, and Thomas W. Vipond, Saanichton, were badly damaged when they collided at Quadra and Beckwith, Sunday morning at 2:30. Constable John Hamilton of the Saanich police took measurements at the accident.

Frederick J. Lutes and Alexander Thomas were each fined \$35, with the option of serving seven days when sentenced in police court Saturday on a joint charge of taking a car without the consent of the owner, Davis Drake Motors. Originally charged with the charge was later reduced to taking without the owner's consent.

Hon. H. G. T. Perry, Minister of Education, and Hon. E. C. Carson, Minister of Mines, are at Salmon Arm speaking in support of Mayor Cyril Thomson, Coalition candidate, in Wednesday's by-election. Mr. Carson is filling the speaking engagements of Hon. Herbert Anscomb, Minister of Public Works, who was unable to go to the interior.

Back in familiar territory, on his first official tour since his appointment to the post of assistant manager of Canadian Pacific Communications—Western Lines, D. L. Howard, Winnipeg, is in Victoria today, accompanied by P. G. McLean, superintendent at Vancouver. In the late 20's, Mr. Howard served at Vancouver as communications. He will return east via the Kettle Valley route.

14 Island Recruits Accepted By R.C.A.F.

Fourteen Vancouver Island men, eight of them from Victoria, have been accepted as recruits in the R.C.A.F. It is announced by No. 1 Recruiting Centre, Vancouver. The Victoria men are:

D. M. Martin, 2844 Gosworth; C. A. E. Smith, Colwood P.O.; F. J. Flannigan, 3408 Maplewood; R. G. Mackintosh, 370 Niagara; J. W. Webb, 3388 Tennyson; J. H. Firth, 1905 Davis; J. H. Haugh, 439 Superior, and A. K. Wilson, 2404 Estevan.

The following are from other points on Vancouver Island:

T. Cooper, Courtenay; J. L. Davis, Sayward; J. E. Young, Courtenay; W. R. Livingstone, Alberni; J. E. Scott, Kildonan, and M. I. G. Bradwell, Nanaimo.

A.R.P. Activities

District 1—All Victoria West wardens will meet at 8 the evening of Dec. 2, at Victoria West School auditorium to discuss means to distribute gas masks in Victoria West. Short addresses will be given by Insp. A. H. Bishop, Victoria A.R.P. controller, and Alderman J. A. Worthington on what the organization has accomplished during the year.

District 7 Saanich will hold a meeting of wardens and A.R.P. personnel, followed by educational A.R.P. moving pictures at Hampton Hall Wednesday night at 8.

Pleads Guilty
MONTREAL (CP)—Belan Pettit, English-born radio officer of British Overseas Airways, changed his pleas to guilty today in Court of King's Bench on charges laid under the Defence of Canada Regulations, and was remanded to Dec. 7 for judgment. He had pleaded not guilty to the charges Nov. 12 and was ordered to appear today for trial.

Set Price Range For Graded Eggs Nov. 23 to Jan. 31

OTTAWA (CP)—Specific price differentials between grades of eggs are established by the Prices Board in an order issued today and covering the period from now to Jan. 31, 1943.

By a previous order, effective Aug. 29, maximum wholesale prices of grade A large eggs were set for 11 principal Canadian markets and these continue in force under the new order. They range from 47 cents a dozen on prairie markets to 49 at Vancouver, 49½ at Toronto, 50 at Montreal and 50½ at Saint John, N.B.; Halifax and Sydney, N.S.

Today's order specifies the maximum wholesale price of grade A medium eggs is to be not less than two cents a dozen lower than the price for grade A large. The price for grade A pullets' eggs is set at not less than five cents less than grade A large; for grade B eggs not less than eight cents less, and grade C eggs not less than 10 cents less than the grade A large level.

Other grades or sub-grades are to be sold at wholesale prices bearing proper relationship to those set out above.

IN CARTONS
A charge of two cents a dozen above the maximum wholesale price for the particular grade may be added to the established prices when eggs are packed in cartons containing a dozen or half a dozen eggs.

The board said that to this wholesale price a retailer may add the mark-up he used in the basic price period from Sept. 15 to Oct. 11, 1941, but this must not exceed 20 per cent of his selling price or eight cents a dozen, whichever is less.

Any seller of "quality premium" eggs may continue to sell at the premium he obtained in the basic period, but this is not to exceed four cents a dozen above the price for grade A large. Quality premium eggs are defined as those marked to indicate their special quality as to weight and age which qualifies them for the premium in accordance with the recognized standard for grade A eggs.

Victoria Officers Train 'Subbies' At H.M.C.S. Kings

HALIFAX (CP)—In ivy-covered, picturesque stone buildings here where once the youths of the maritime provinces studied the arts and sciences, young men from the four corners of the Dominion now learn the art and science of waging war on the high seas.

Two years ago King's College catered to the intellectual wants of this portion of Canada. Today its hall and dormitories have been turned over to the Royal Canadian Navy, as H.M.C.S. King's, for the purpose of training sub-lieutenants.

Commander of the training establishment is a tough veteran of the R.C.N. Cmdr. A. M. Hope of Halifax. Helping him is a staff of 28 officers.

First lieutenant of the ship H.M.C.S. King's is Lieut. C. P. Nixon of Victoria, who himself looks young enough to take his place with the students. He is carrying on an old family tradition, for his father, Cmdr. E. A. Nixon was commander of the original R.C.N. training college at Halifax that was smashed in the explosion of 1917.

Giving the probationary sub-lieutenants their studies in navigation is Lt.-Cmdr. B. G. Sivertz, R.C.N.R., of Vancouver, a dapper, slightly built veteran of the merchant service.

Lieut. G. Lancaster of Victoria, and J. Bolan of Halifax, and D. H. Craighead of Campbellford, Ont., are his chief assistants.

Responsible for giving many trainees their first dose of sea-sickness, and incidentally, their first lessons in seamanship is Lt.-Cmdr. G. R. Vinch-Noye of Oakville, Ont., sailing master, and skipper of the R.C.N. yacht Glencairn.

He is a quiet spoken officer who is certainly not given to wild statements. So he says "the men who come here are a good bunch of lads," must be taken as meaning this institution is training only the best of Canada's youth.

C.C.F. Opens New Hall

The new headquarters of the C.C.F. at 857 Pandora Avenue was officially opened Friday night, when members gathered to hear addresses, reports, a musical program and to take part in a dance.

Colin Cameron, M.L.A., the speaker for the evening, was introduced by Harold Simpson. Reports were given by representatives of C.C.F. auxiliaries and districts.

The large C.C.F. hall has a reading-room equipped with games, and a kitchen.

Obituaries

Rev. J. S. Patterson, Presbyterian, Dies

The death occurred early this morning at his home, 878 Esquimalt Road, of Rev. John Smith Patterson, 57, well-known Presbyterian minister. Mr. Patterson was born in Leith, Edinburgh, and had lived here 20 years.

Mr. Patterson filled pastorates in Zealandia, Sask.; Erskine, Castor and Three Hills, Alta., before coming to B.C. He served at St. Paul's and Knox, Victoria; St. Andrew's in North Vancouver, and St. Columba and Livingstone in Vancouver. He also served the Presbyterian Church as Moderator of the Presbytery of Victoria, Moderator of the Synod of B.C., and Presbyterian Moderator of Vancouver.

He is survived by his widow, at home; one daughter, Mrs. R. A. Foulis of Point Grey, Vancouver; two sons, Harvey and John Gordon of Saanich; two grandsons, two sisters, Mrs. Fergus Brooks, New York, and Mrs. James Hunter, Edinburgh.

The remains are at McCall Bros' Funeral Chapel. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Veteran Marine Engineer Passes

John Edward Jeffcott, veteran marine engineer linked with the early development of British Columbia, passed away this morning at his home, 1912 Montleith Street.

Born in the Isle of Man in 1856, Mr. Jeffcott, after serving his apprenticeship, entered the employ of the International Steamship Co. of Liverpool in 1875.

He came to Canada in 1882 and worked for the C.P.R. until 1884, serving on the steamer Sarny on the coastal trade out of Victoria. He afterwards served on the Otter, Etta White, Reliance, William Irving, Maude, Islander and Transfer. He was chief engineer of the William Irving for seven years, remaining with that vessel until she was wrecked in June, 1894, in the Fraser River.

He was a member of the Victoria Columbia Lodge No. 1, A.F. & A.M. He is survived by relatives in England.

The funeral will be held Wednesday at 2, at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Parlour, service being conducted by Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunns. Interment at Royal Oak.

Mrs. T. J. Brunson Of Esquimalt Dead

Mrs. T. J. Brunson, 70, died last night at the Royal Jubilee Hospital. She was born in Cornwall and had lived for many years in Butte, Mont., before coming to Victoria in 1910.

A resident of Esquimalt for 32 years, she was proprietor of the Esquimalt Hotel at the time of her death. Her husband, who was active in mining concerns here, predeceased her 14 years ago. She is survived by one son, Tom, and two daughters, Mrs. Irene Godson and Miss Jessie Brunson, and four grandchildren, Tommy and Hazel Brunson, and Betty and Bud Godson, all of 1205 Esquimalt Road, and one sister in Vancouver. The funeral will be held on Wednesday at 3:30 from Sands Mortuary, Rev. George Biddle will officiate. Interment at Ross Bay.

HARTLEY—Rev. George Biddle conducted the funeral service for Frederick Hartley in the Thomson Funeral Home Saturday. Pallbearers were: J. V. Smith, S. Oakes, C. J. Deacon and W. V. Merriman. Interment at Ross Bay.

GOODFELLOW—Annie May Goodfellow, 76, died at the Royal Jubilee Hospital Saturday. She was born at Burton-on-Trent, Staffordshire, Eng., and had lived here for 23 years. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. F. Webster and Mrs. E. A. Harvey of Victoria, one son, a brother and a sister in England, and three grandchildren. The funeral will be held Tuesday at 1:30 from the S. J. Curry and Son Funeral Home. Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunns will officiate. Interment at Colwood.

CLANTON—The death occurred at the Royal Jubilee Hospital Sunday of Frederick Sumner Clanton, 69. Mr. Clanton was born in Victoria and for 31 years had lived at Sidney. He is survived by his widow, three sons, Frederick in U.S. and Melvin and Gerald at Sidney; four daughters, Mrs. Norman Alexander, Mrs. R. Hubert and Miss Maxine Clanton, all of Victoria, and Mrs. Wallace Day, Oakland, Calif.; one brother, Robert Wendel Clanton, Victoria, and five grandchildren. The remains are at Sands Mortuary. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

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KING—The funeral service for Leif Leslie King will be held Tuesday morning at St. Stephen's Catholic Church, Mt. Newton, at 10:30. Rev. Warren Turner will officiate. Interment in the church cemetery. McCall Bros. are in charge.

BOSDET—Charles Lewis Bosdet, 55, died Sunday at his home, 1908 Forrester Street. Mr. Bosdet was born in Arichat, N.S., and had lived here six years. He was an active member of the Rotary Club. He is survived by his widow, three sons, George, Charles and John, at the family residence, and two brothers, Ernest and Henry in Mexico. The remains are at Sands Mortuary from where the funeral service will be held Wednesday morning at 11. Cremation at Royal Oak.

DANIELS—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Philomena Daniels was conducted in the Assumption Catholic Church, West Road, Saturday morning. Rev. Father M. Lariviere celebrated Mass. Pallbearers were: E. Smith, Walter Williams, E. Bagley, Martin Cooper, Philip Tom and L. Harry. Interment in the West Saanich Road Cemetery. Thomson Funeral Home had care.

ERICKSON—Dr. A. E. Whitehouse conducted the funeral service today for Richard Earl Erickson. The remains were forwarded to Saskatoon where interment will take place. S. J. Curry and Son had care.

PRESTON—Rev. Hugh A. McLeod will conduct funeral service for Mrs. Florence Wilhelmina Preston, Tuesday, at 2. Interment at Royal Oak. McCall Bros. are in charge.

BEAMISH—Dr. A. McCarver will conduct the funeral service for Mrs. Adeline May Beamish in the Thomson Funeral Home, Tuesday at 2. Interment at Royal Oak.

HALL—The funeral service for John Charles Hall will be held Tuesday at 2. Rev. George Biddle will officiate. Interment at Colwood.

CONVEY—Prayers will be offered Monday evening at 8 in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel for Mrs. Letitia Convey. The funeral will be held Tuesday morning, leaving Hayward's at 7:45 for St. Andrew's Cathedral, where Requiem Mass will be sung at 8. Interment at Ross Bay.

2 Victoria Boys On Alaskan Front

Two men of Victoria and district are serving in northwestern Alaska, in the Royal Canadian Air Force which is acting jointly with United States forces in the campaign against the Japanese in the Aleutians.

Cpl. Albert J. Collins, son of S. Sgt. and Mrs. H. B. Collins of Gordon Head is serving in the north as a nursing orderly. He enlisted in Victoria in 1940 and was well known in Canadian rugby circles.

LAC. Gilbert H. "Gil" Simmonds, R.M.D. No. 4, Blenkinsop Road, is an aero-engine mechanic, having enlisted Sept. 26, 1941. He was formerly a salesman with the Dickson Importing Co.

"I've really enjoyed myself up here," reports LAC. Simmonds. "The Americans are certainly good fellows. I've been hunting and hiking and there's lots of opportunity for that."

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Dorothy Dix:

Soldier Objects to Fiancee's Rush to Get Married

Dear Miss Dix:—I am a boy in the army. Am engaged to a sweet girl and I want to marry her when I can make enough to support her and be situated so that we could be together. But she insists on getting married right now. She hounds me about it all the time and cries and says I don't love her when I tell her we've got to wait. So I don't know what to do. I don't want to lose her, but I can't marry her now.

Do all girls do all the insisting about getting married? We boys would like to do the persuading, and we don't want to be rushed into a marriage before we are ready for it. What should I do?

A WORRIED SOLDIER.
Answer: Listen, soldier, and take my advice, don't let any girl beg, entreat, weep, threaten, or otherwise coerce you into marrying her before you are ready to do it and against your better judgment. Say nay, nay, Pauline, and have the backbone to stick to a decision that you know to be the wise one.

When a girl marries a boy in spite of himself, instead of because he has persuaded her into doing it, that marriage is doomed from the start for failure, and the marriage license might just as well have a divorce coupon attached to it. There isn't a chance of such a couple being happy together, or of their making a go of their marriage.

SHOWS LACK OF COMMON SENSE

Because, in the first place, the husband always resents having been jockeyed into doing a thing that he knows is bound to have disastrous consequences for him. And because, in the second place, the girl by her insistence upon a marriage for which they are not ready shows that she not only lacks common sense, but is a bossy, selfish little creature who is determined to have her own way at any cost to the man she professes to love. And because, in the third place, no marriage can be a success unless it has an adequate financial backing, and unless it has the proper environment in which the domestic virtues can take root and flourish.

In other words, for a marriage to be a success the husband must be able to support his wife, and when they are first married they must be able to live together in the crucial years in which they are getting adjusted to each other. The marriage this girl insists upon has neither of these qualifications. You haven't the price of a wedding ring, and if you married the girl now you would be almost immediately separated from her. And when you came back you would meet as strangers who would most probably have nothing in common, not even a desire for each other.

That is why it is so unwise for boys and girls to rush into war marriages where they face all the dangers of marriage and have none of its safeguards. Don't do it. From the thousands of letters that I have received from boys in the service, who are being forced into marriage by importunate girls who want the excitement of a war marriage and the prestige of flaunting a wedding ring and being called Mrs., I judge that in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred it is the girls, not the boys, who are bent upon matrimony. At any rate, in practically every case it is the boys who are asking me how they can avoid being married against their wishes, what they should do, and who seem to realize the folly of rushing into a premature marriage.

It is the poor, silly, little nitwit girls who think it is romantic to have a man Over There, and that it will show that they are not as attractive as other girls if they didn't make a war marriage when all the other girls were doing it, and that if they don't like the look of their husbands when they come back that they can get a divorce, who insist upon these ill-advised marriages and who are ruining the lives of many and many a lad. For these little girls don't know that divorce is always a mess that it often takes a whole lifetime to clean up.

Burns, the size of Texas, has double the population of that state.
300 Blood Bank donors wanted. B 2414.

Uncle Ray

U.S. Leads World in Iron and Steel Production

The country which produces the most pig iron and the most steel is the United States. That is of special importance in these days. Steel goes into scores of things which are used in war. We may mention rifles, cannon, tanks and warships, also bullets, shells, machine guns and airplanes.

Airplanes, of course, are made mainly of other substances. If anyone could produce a good plane entirely of steel, he would



Locomotive inside a section of huge iron pipe used in Boulder canyon project.

be performing a trick of great interest. Yet steel goes into motors, and has been used for airplane armor. Germany is second in output of pig iron and steel. In the three years of 1938, 1939 and 1940, the Germans produced a little more than half as much steel as the United States. Even with the countries the Nazis have conquered, they still have less steel than the United States.

Russia ranks third among the world's iron and steel countries, and Great Britain is fourth. If we add their 1938 to 1940 steel output together, it is higher than that of Germany alone.

To get pig iron, we first must have iron ore. In that field, the United States also leads all nations. About one-third of the world's iron ore is taken from mines in the United States.

The greatest iron fields in the world are found in Minnesota. In the northern part of that state are several so-called "ranges" which contain iron. The Mesabi range is the best known of these. The ranges hardly deserve the name of mountains, since their highest parts are less than half a mile above sea level.

Millions of tons of iron ore have been scooped up in Minnesota with steam shovels. With such a shovel at work, a freight car can be loaded in three minutes or less.

With France and several smaller iron-producing nations under control, Germany is able to obtain almost—but not quite—as much iron ore as the United States.

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1. If a friend asks you to come up to his hotel room for a drink, should you call him from the lobby before going up to his room?
2. Should you tip the conductor on a day coach if he helps you off the train?
3. If a friend sees you off on a trip, should you write him a letter before your return?
4. If a woman smokes a great deal should she expect her husband to always get up and light her cigarettes?

What would you do if—

You doubt that an older woman smokes—

(a) Help yourself to a cigarette without offering her one?

(b) Offer her a cigarette and if she says "No, thank you," ask if she minds if you smoke?

Answers

1. Yes.
2. Yes.
3. No.
4. It would be the gracious thing to do.
5. No.

Better "What Would You Do" solution—(b).

LANGFORD

James Massie presided at the monthly meeting of the Langford Colwood A.Y.P.A. and gave the report of the Badminton Club. John Haggie was given a farewell party before joining the R.C.A.F. The members will send Christmas cards to former members now in the services.

Plans were completed for the annual dance Dec. 2 at 9 in the Colwood Hall, Len Acres' orchestra supplying the music.

The monthly meeting of the Langford Women's Institute will be held Tuesday afternoon at St. Aidan's House at 2. Mrs. B. F. Gummow, president of the Provincial W.I. board, will speak.

A card party under the auspices of the Langford Women's Institute was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Millward at Langford Lake Wednesday evening. Progressive contract winners were Mrs. H. G. Baynes and Mrs. A. B. Bown. The next party will be held Nov. 25 at the home of Mrs. R. M. Haggie, St. Aidan's House.

OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



By George McManus



By Martin



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By William Ferguson



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